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Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

Meſſieurs HALL and SELLERS,

The following Extract from the Halifax Gazette, of Auguſt 4, contains ſuch good Advice to Electors generally, that I think you cannot, at this Time, employ a Column of your Paper to a better Purpoſe than by publiſhing it.

MY DEAR COUNTRYMEN,

THE Sentiments contained in the following Addreſs are well adapted to every free Clime, and to no one better than our own. We are bleſſed by Nature with as much good Senſe and public Spirit, as any People under the Sun; but we too frequently want Reſolution to put them in Practice. In Fact, we do not think ſufficiently for ourſelves, but, like Simpletons, leave that Drudgery to artful deſigning Stateſmen, who, by Dint of private Pique, and Party Prejudice, too often decoy us, contrary to our own Sentiments, and not ſeldom in Oppoſition to the public Good. To our Want of Thought, and Want of Reſolution, we are principally indebted for that Monſter of Oppreſſion, the Exciſe Law; a Law, that will for ever diſgrace the virtuous Annals of this Province, and, if not timely repealed, will enſlave ourſelves, and our Poſterity, beyond the Poſſibility of Redemption. Let us then, my Countrymen, begin to think for ourſelves, before the Meaſure of our Sufferings be quite full: Let us conſider with Attention the following Paper; and, if we approve the Author's Advice (which I truſt every good Man will, who reads or hears it) let us reduce it reſolutely to Practice: In ſhort, let us make it a Scale of Merit in our future Choice of Aſſembly-men; and then neither ourſelves nor our Poſterity will have Cauſe to complain of impolitic or tyrannic Impoſitions.

A. P.

N. B. The Author, in his Caution againſt chuſing of Lawyers, moſt certainly means thoſe, who are immediately engaged in the Practice of Law; for the Knowledge of Law can warp no Man's Integrity, although the common Practice of it may.

To the FREEHOLDERS *of the County of* HALIFAX.

GENTLEMEN,

THE Governor having iſſued his Writ for electing a Member for the County of Halifax, which Election is to come on the 10th Inſtant, I beg Leave to offer a few very neceſſary Hints on the ſolemn Occaſion, which I hope every judicious Freeholder will read with ſtrict Attention, as the Protection of his Liberties, and Security of his Property, in a great Degree thereon depend.

"In the firſt Place, I recommend to you not to chooſe a weak Man, who does not underſtand the Conſtitution or the Intereſt of the Province, and may therefore betray them.

"Do not chooſe a baſhful and timid Man, who will be borne down by the Violence of an ignorant or deſigning Party.

"Do not chooſe an awkward Speaker, who will not dare to open his Mouth in the Defence of his Conſtituents, or the Province.

"Do not chooſe a Man of ſmall Fortune, and great Expence, be aſſured he will ſell you if he can.

"Do not chooſe a Man of bad private Morals, his breaking through the ſacred Rules of Rectitude by one habitual Crime, ſhews him to be deficient in Principle.

"Do not chooſe a canting, mouthing, cowardly Hypocrite, nor believe the fair and ſpecious Promiſes he may make, which are meant only to deceive and beguile you, and, when in his Power, will aſſuredly make the moſt of you, laugh at and deſpiſe you.

"Do not chooſe a Beggar, or one overwhelmed with Debts. Conſider the Abſurdity of intruſting ſuch a one with the Diſpoſal of your Liberties and Property, whoſe very Neceſſities will cauſe him to receive a Place or Bribe: Beware alſo of the Sycophant Tribe, ſhould any of that Claſs dare to offer themſelves; conſider how truly deteſtable thoſe Wretches are, and how unworthy of even the leaſt of your Suffrages.

"Do not chooſe a Placeman; believe me, he dare not (ſhould he be currently honeſt) ſpeak boldly his Sentiments, nor oppoſe the Meaſures of Government, ſhould they be contrary to the public Good. 'Tis hard for a Man to riſque the Loſs of the Bread he eats.

"Do not chooſe a ſelfiſh nor avaricious Man, nor a Tale-bearer to the Great, nor a Tyrant, nor a Leveller, either will infallibly turn out but an unfaithful Servant.

"Above all, do not chooſe a Lawyer: Many Acts of Parliament have been made againſt their ſitting in Parliament, particularly in the Reign of that great and good King Edward III. by the Parliament, called The Bleſſed Parliament; and it doth not appear that theſe Acts have ever been repealed. Amongſt the many Reaſons aſſigned for this was, that they were generally pricking Fellows, and Maintainers of falſe Suits, and accuſtomed to let out their Tongues and Talents for Hire, to call Good Evil, and Evil Good, to defend Guilt, and declaim againſt Innocence, juſt according as they are paid by their Employers. A Man that hath no other Standard of Right and Wrong than the Largeneſs of the Fee he receives from his Client, is certainly a very improper Perſon to be intruſted with the Safety of a State, or the Honour of a Province. No, my Friends and Fellow-Britons, I intreat you to avoid all thoſe as the moſt pernicious of Evils; and to chooſe a Man of Senſe, that is generous, open, and manly in his Sentiments, who bears an honeſt and good moral Character, who is diſcreet, independent and firm, and moſt approved in Point of Probity, and a Lover of the public Good. Such a One will dare to ſtand up to protect you in your valuable Privileges, and will do his utmoſt to prevent your Property from being torn from you unjuſtly, and will, to the utmoſt of his Ability, defend and promote the true Intereſt of the Province, its Agriculture and Trade.

"That ſuch a Man be your Choice is the ſincere Wiſh of

Auguſt 3, 1772. A FREEHOLDER."

To be SOLD, at the London Coffee-Houſe,

On Saturday, the 26th Inſtant, at 7 o' Clock in the Evening,

A CERTAIN two ſtory brick TENEMENT and LOT of GROUND, ſituate in Wicacoa, Philadelphia county, containing in breadth, on the weſt ſide of Front-ſtreet, 32½ feet, and in length, 140 feet, bounded eaſtward by Front-ſtreet, northward by ground of Caleb Aſh, weſtward and ſouthward by ground of Ralph Collins, and others; ſubject to a groundrent of Two Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Three-pence per annum; now in the tenure of —— Linvill, Cordwainer; a good and indiſputable title will be given, by the ſubſcriber, PETER BOURGE. ‖ 2w.

ALL Perſons indebted to ROBERT STRETTELL JONES, are requeſted to diſcharge their Accounts. He hath on Hand a conſiderable Quantity of European and Eaſt-India GOODS, particularly *the latter*, which will be diſpoſed of, *for Caſh*, lower than any imported in the Spring can be tendered.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and other ELECTORS, of the County of BUCKS.

GENTLEMEN,

I AM greatly obliged to you for the Marks of your Confidence, in chuſing me one of your Repreſentatives in Aſſembly ſeveral Years paſt, nevertheleſs I beg Leave to remind you of my laſt Year's Requeſt, and I now expect, and again deſire, that you will, at the enſuing Election, chuſe ſome other Perſon, in Stead of

Your ſincere Friend, PETER SHEPHERD. ‖

To the FREEHOLDERS, and others, ELECTORS for the County and Borough of Cheſter.

ESTEEMED FRIENDS,

I STAND a Candidate for the Sheriff's Office, for which Purpoſe I requeſt the Favour of your Votes and Intereſt at the enſuing Election; which Favour ſhall be gratefully accepted, and thankfully remembered by Your ſincere Friend,

† JONATHAN COATES.

Charleſtown Townſhip, Sept. 18, 1772.

To be SOLD by public VENDUE, at the late Country-ſeat of THOMAS GRÆME, Eſq; deceaſed, commonly known by the name of Græme-Park, in Horſham townſhip, Philadelphia county, on the 12th day of October next, to begin preciſely at 12 o' clock at noon, and to continue from day to day till the whole is ſold,

A VALUABLE ſtock of Milch COWS, two yoke of working oxen, fatting cattle, young cattle, ſheep and ſwine, working horſes, breeding mares with foal, young colts, and a great variety of huſbandry implements; ſuch as waggons, broad and narrow wheeled carts, a drill plough, common ploughs, harrows, carpenter's tools, &c. &c. Six months credit will be given for all ſums above Thirty Shillings, on giving good ſecurity, and ready money is to be paid for all ſums under Thirty Shillings. Attendance will be given, on the premiſes, by ELIZABETH GRÆME, Executrix; DANIEL ROBERDEAU, CHARLES STEDMAN, and JAMES YOUNG, Executors.

All perſons who have any demands againſt the eſtate of the late Doctor GRÆME, deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accounts to the above Executors; and thoſe indebted to ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to pay without further trouble.

Juſt imported, in the ſhip Richard Penn, Captain All, from London, and to be ſold by

WHITE and PATTON,

At their ſtore, in Water-ſtreet, the 2d door below Arch-ſtreet,

A LARGE and neat Aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India GOODS, ſuitable to the enſuing ſeaſon; which they will diſpoſe of, on the moſt reaſonable terms, for caſh, or ſhort credit.

Juſt imported, in the ſhip Richard Penn, from London, and to be ſold by

JOHN GIBSON,

At his ſtore, in Market-ſtreet, between Third and Fourth-ſtreets, very cheap for caſh, or the uſual credit,

A LARGE and general Aſſortment of GOODS, ſuitable for the approaching ſeaſon. The beſt kinds of RAPPEE SNUFF. *Philadelphia, Sept.* 17, 1772. 6w.

Juſt imported, from London, in the ſhip Richard Penn, Captain Iſaac All, by

OWEN BIDDLE,

A NEAT Aſſortment of MERCHANDIZE; which he has for ſale, on the very loweſt terms, at his ſtore, in Market-ſtreet, near Fourth-ſtreet.

N. B. He expects a more general aſſortment by the other European veſſels; ſuch perſons who pleaſe to favour him with their cuſtom, may depend on the beſt uſage, and moſt grateful acknowledgments. *Ninth Month* 18, 1772.

JOSEPH SAUNDERS,

In Cheſtnut-ſtreet, between Front and Second-ſtreets,

HATH for SALE, a ſmall quantity of indigo, allom, in caſks of about 500 weight, or by leſs quantity, madder and ground redwood, logwood and brazilletto wood, old coffee, black pepper, nutmegs, alſpice, cinnamon and ground ginger, by the barrel, keg, or leſs quantity; Weſt-India rum, and moleſſes; wool cards, ſhot and bar lead, and ſundry ſorts of European and India GOODS; which he will diſpoſe of cheap, for caſh, or ſhort credit. N. B. He has ſeveral lots of ground, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Sixth-ſtreet, between Mulberry (commonly called Arch-ſtreet) and Saſſafras, commonly called Race-ſtreet, to lett on ground-rent for ever. 4w.

ALEXANDER HUSTON

Has for ſale, at his ſtore, in Second-ſtreet, oppoſite the Baptiſt Meeting-houſe, ſundry MERCHANDIZE, ſuch as,

SCARLET and red cloth ſerges; crimſon, blue, green, and yellow furniture harrateens, with ſuitable trimmings for the ſame; rich hair grazets, half ell wide mantuas, black and cloth China taffeties, and damaſks; black, blue, red, green, and cloth perſians; ſtriped and plain, white and crimſon ſattins; ſuperfine India chints, and Engliſh chints, cottons, China blue, copperplate furniture calicoes, white baiſe, green oil cloth, &c. &c.

TOWNSEND SPEAKMAN,

Chemiſt and Druggiſt, on the north ſide of Market-ſtreet, between Second and Third-ſtreets, has juſt imported in the Pennſylvania Packet, Captain Oſborne, from London,

A LARGE aſſortment of drugs, patent medicines, and ſurgeons inſtruments of the very beſt quality, particularly very fine Jeſuit's bark, borax, camphire, ſalt-petre, Anderſon's pills, Godfrey's cordial, eſſence of peppermint, Greenough's two tinctures for cleaning the teeth and tooth-ach, Jeſuit's drops, anodyne necklace, Keyſer's pills, with a great variety of other articles.---Practitioners, or others, who may be pleaſed to favour him with their cuſtom, may depend on having medicines, &c. of the beſt quality, and on the moſt reaſonable terms.---Family receipts, and phyſical preſcriptions, faithfully prepared.

FOR LONDON,

THE SHIP

RICHARD PENN,

ISAAC ALL, MASTER,

WILL ſail in TWO WEEKS. For Freight, or Paſſage, apply to the Captain on board, or at the LONDON COFFEE-HOUSE.

Philadelphia, September 19, 1772.

JOSEPH SWIFT,

At his ſtore, in Front-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, has imported, in the ſhip Richard Penn, Captain All, from London,

A NEAT Aſſortment of GOODS, ſuitable for the approaching ſeaſon; which he is now opening, and will ſell low, for caſh, or ſix months credit; and will be obliged to his friends, for the favour of their cuſtom. *Sept.* 19, 1772. 8w.

DANIEL WILLIAMS, and SONS,

Have juſt imported, in the ſhip Richard Penn, Iſaac All, maſter, from London,

A NEAT Aſſortment of DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the ſeaſon; which they have for ſale, at the moſt reaſonable rates, at their ſtore, in Front-ſtreet, between Cheſtnut-ſtreet and the London Coffee-houſe. *Sept.* 18, 1772. *Tarſ.*

AN EVENING SCHOOL

WILL be opened on Monday, the 5th of October next, at the Subſcriber's new School Houſe, in Fifth-ſtreet, a few Doors above Market-ſtreet, where will be taught Writing and Arithmetic, by LAZARUS PINE.

N. B. Said PINE continues his Day School, where is taught the Engliſh Language grammatically, Writing and Arithmetic. ¶

Philadelphia, September 23, 1772.

THIS DAY will be publiſhed, and given away GRATIS,

A CATALOGUE of a Collection of NEW and OLD BOOKS, in all Arts and Sciences, in the various Languages; alſo a large Quantity of entertaining Novels; with the loweſt Prices printed to each Book; now ſelling, at the Book-ſtore of WILLIAM WOODHOUSE, Bookſeller, Stationer and Bookbinder, in Front-ſtreet, near Cheſtnut-ſtreet.

N. B. In this Collection are many uncommon Books, ſeldom to be found---Therefore the Curious in Books---The Directors of Libraries---And all others that delight in the Food of the Mind---are requeſted to call for the Catalogue at ſaid *Woodhouſe's*, as above. ¶

To be SOLD,

A LIKELY young NEGROE Woman, uſed to all ſorts of houſe work, will ſuit town or country; enquire of WILLIAM BALL, living in Market-ſtreet, three doors below Meſſieurs Hall and Sellers's Printing-Office.

Said *William Ball* carries on the Silverſmith and Jeweller's trades, as uſual, and has for ſale, a new eight day clock, with a neat mahogany caſe, ſilver and ſtone buckles of all ſorts, diamond and common rings, ear-rings, hair pins, plain and ſet ſleeve buttons, in gold and ſilver, ſilver ſalts, pepper and muſtard caſtors, cream pots, tea and coffee pots, ſugar diſhes, a neat dreſs ſword, wine ſocks, a neat bottle crane, with a cock, ſpoons and tea tongs, childrens whiſtles and bells, lockets and coral beads, plated ſpurs, ſilver watches, ſeals and chains, ſilver and Pinchbeck, ſteel top thimbles, chaſed tweeſer caſes, &c. Likewiſe regulated money ſcales and weights, in wainſcot, mahogany, and ſhagreen caſes, caſt clock faces, heads and dolphins, clock bells, large and ſmall crucibles, watch main ſprings, glaſſes, pendants, verges, dial-plates, inſide chains, keys, clock and watch hands, magnifying glaſſes, ſmall ſcrew plates, borax, blow-pipes, white and red foil, buckle and button ſtones, garnet ditto, miniature glaſſes, corals for childrens whiſtles, Jewellers bruſhes, paper ſnuff-boxes, ſhoe and knee chapes and tongs, &c. &c.---Alſo a parcel of coarſe and fine blankets, and the remains of a dry goods ſtore. All the above articles will be ſold as cheap as can poſſibly be afforded, and the ſilver warranted to be good.

STRAYED or STOLEN, but ſuppoſed to be ſtolen from the ſubſcriber, living in Duck-creek Hundred, in Kent county, on Delaware, Auguſt 26, 1772, a black HORSE, about 9 or 10 years old, natural trotter, ſhod before, but the ſhoes almoſt worn, no ear-mark nor brand, but hath a remarkable white ring about each of his ears, alſo if cloſely examined a little white ring on his near ſide, and a little white on his off hind foot, with a black ſpot in it, about 15 hands high. Whoever takes up ſaid horſe and thief, ſo that the thief be brought to juſtice, and the horſe to the owner, ſhall have FORTY DOLLARS reward, and for the horſe only, TWENTY DOLLARS, and charges, paid by me JAMES DICKINSON. 18w.

Lancaſter, September 12, 1772.

THE ſubſcribers, auditors appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, for the county of Lancaſter, to audit and ſettle the accounts of the creditors of PETER FUNK, late of Donnegall townſhip, in the ſaid county, do hereby give public notice, to all the creditors of the ſaid Peter Funk, to give their attendance, at the houſe of James Daviſon, at the ſign of the Buck, in the Borough of Lancaſter, on the 12th day of October, next, in the forenoon, with their accounts, properly atteſted, in order that diſtribution of the ſaid Funk's eſtate may be made according to law. MICHAEL HUBLEY, WILLIAM BAUSMAN, EBERHART MICHAEL. ¶

STRAYED away from the ſubſcriber, living in Saliſbury townſhip, Lancaſter county, about the 14th of Auguſt laſt, a dark roan MARE, about 14 hands high, paces and trots, is about 9 years old, marked T, and ſome other letter by the ſide of it, but forgot exactly what it is, both on the near ſhoulder, had a ſmall lump on her near ſide, raiſed with the gears, is remarkably low in the neck. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid mare, ſo that the owner may have her again, ſhall have FOUR DOLLARS reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me JOHN REA.

If any perſon ſhould take her up, and it ſhould not anſwer them to bring her to me, if they will be ſo kind as to put it in the public news, ſo that I may go for her myſelf, they ſhall be handſomely rewarded by me *John Rea.* ¶

FORTY SHILLINGS Reward.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Baltimore county, on the 14th day of Auguſt, 1772, a ſervant man, named THOMAS CROSS, 25 years of age, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, well ſet, down look, thick lips, hollow eyed, ſhort black hair, and ſpeaks hoarſe; had on a tow linen ſhirt and trowſers, and a half-worn caſtor hat. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have Thirty Shillings, if 20 miles from home, and the above reward, and reaſonable charges, if out of the county, and brought home, paid by JOSIAH HITCHCOCK, near the Upper Croſs-roads. ¶

Juſt publiſhed, and ſold by HALL and SELLERS,

The POCKET ALMANACK, for the YEAR 1773.

[*For more new* ADVERTISEMENTS, *ſee the Fourth Page.*]

By the Captains ALL, OSBORNE, *and* GILL, *in the Ships* RICHARD PENN, PENNSYLVANIA PACKET, *and* CHARMING MOLLY, *from London, we have the following Advices.*

COPENHAGEN, *June* 23.

THE Counſellor of Juſtice, Struenſee, ſet out on his departure from hence this day for Lubec. The King has reſtored to him his effects, which are valued at 6000 rixdollars, including the preſents he had received before his impriſonment, from his Majeſty, and the late Count Struenſee, his brother.

Colonel Falkenſhiold ſent a requeſt of ſome kind to his Majeſty before his baniſhment to Munkholm, but it was not complied with.

Warſaw, June 13. The King is deprived of the greateſt part of his revenues ſince the foreign troops took poſſeſſion of Poliſh Pruſſia, and of the Saltworks of Samber, Vieliczka and Boſnia.

June 17. The Armiſtice was ſigned the 30th of laſt month, between M. Simolin, Counſellor of State, in the name of Field-Marſhal Count de Romanzow, and Hoza-Scid-Abdulkerim-Effendi-Muka-Beledzy, Firſt Notary to the Divan on the Part of the Grand Viſir.

Cadiz, June 2. The differences, between the republic of the United Provinces and the Emperor of Morocco, are amicably terminated.

Turin, June 10. The King is relapſed, ſo that we almoſt deſpair of his getting the better of his diſorder, which has thrown the whole city into great conſternation.

Warſaw, June 17. *We have advice from Sileſia, that the famous Pulawſki hath been taken at Lubiniec, by Major Reitzenſtein, and conducted in a carriage to Potzdam.*

Ratiſbon, June 20. *The Auſtrian troops meet with no oppoſition in Poland, where General Haddick will ſoon have an army of* 50,000 *men under his command.*

We hear from Vienna, that ſeveral Engineers have received orders to go to Poland, in order to take a plan, and draw charts of the provinces, which are to remain under the dominion of their Imperial and Royal Majeſties.

Cracow, June 14. The fortreſs of Bobreck ſurrendered yeſterday, without firing a gun, to Lieut. Col. Jelagin, who had been diſpatched to ſummon it. The garriſon conſiſted of four officers, and 120 men, and they had ſix pieces of cannon in the caſtle. Tyniec ſtill holds out, but we expect every minute to hear of its ſurrendering.

Madrid, June 15. *The advices received here, from different provinces of the kingdom, bring melancholy accounts touching the great number of locuſts which cover the fields, &c. and devour all the fruits of the earth. They make the greateſt ravages in Old Caſtile, where upwards of* 3000 *men are employed in deſtroying them; but it is feared that they will not fully ſucceed in removing this dreadful calamity, which will occaſion a great ſcarcity and dearneſs of proviſion this year.*

Copenhagen, June 30. Lieut. Gen. de Gahler ſet out this day for Jutland, and is to fix his reſidence at Welle, a ſmall town, three leagues from Frediricia.

Warſaw, June 24. General Haddick hath publiſhed a Declaration in the Poliſh language, dated the 10th inſtant, which ſignifies, that the Emperor takes under his protection all the country occupied by his troops: That the Inhabitants ſhall be treated as his own ſubjects, and that no perſons ſhall be moleſted in their houſes.

The Auſtrians, under General Eſterhazy, are already advanced into Red Ruſſia, as far as Lemberg, where they have placed 2000 men. They have ſent to Lublin an order for the troops there to quit the place, as they purpoſe to arrive there in a few days.

Some Magnato of this Kingdom, and among them the General of Podolia, the Caſtellan of Elbing, the Waiwode of Braclaw, &c. had formed an intention to retire from this city; but it was intimated to them, that in the preſent juncture their reſidence here was become neceſſary. We learn ſince, that a new Confederacy is forming, to which thoſe Noblemen are to be invited; and that Szidlowſki, Caſtellan of Maſure, is to be Marſhal.

New troubles are ariſen in Lithuania, which are become almoſt general. There is no comprehending the inconſiſtency of the Lithuanians, who want to make themſelves formidable, while they are but two fingers breadth from deſtruction.

Berlin, July 4. The Queen Dowager of Sweden, with her Court, the Princes Henry and Ferdinand, together with the Prince and Princeſs Frederick of Brunſwick, went yeſterday to the new Palace of Sans Souci, where they were magnificently received by his Pruſſian Majeſty. It is imagined their ſtay will be about a fortnight, and that ſoon after her Swediſh Majeſty will return to Stockholm.

Grodno, in Poland, June 10. *Thirteen Hundred Baſkires are arrived here from Minſk. Theſe new Gueſts, who make a frightful Appearance, will accompliſh the Ruin of this unhappy Country. Moſt of them are armed with a Sabre and Muſquet, and the reſt with Quivers and Arrows. A great Number of theſe Barbarians are near Slonim, and others about Wilna. Our Fields, our Corn, and Grain of all Sorts, are a Prey to their Horſes, and unleſs we receive Aid ſoon, we ſhall be entirely cut up.--Another Account ſays, "The Baſkires which are arrived here [at Grodno] are a hideous and frightful People! They ſpeak the Tartarian Language: They will not eat Pork, but nothing elſe comes amiſs to them; among the reſt, Horſe-fleſh and Cats are eaten by them. They have a great Diſlike to the Jews, ſome of whom they were going to murder, and it was with much Difficulty that a Jewiſh Child was ſaved, whom they had taken from its Parents. They have neither Law nor Diſcipline among them, but commit every Exceſs imaginable. They lodge* 16 *or* 18 *together in a Houſe, and exact whatever they think proper from the Inhabitants. Their Commandant is often treated ill by them, particularly when he attempts to reſtrain them in their unreaſonable Demands.*

Edinburgh, June 30. *We hear that an order has been ſent to the Carron-works, from Ruſſia, for* 30,000 *tons of iron cannon, moſtly* 32 *pounders. This is one of the largeſt orders ever ſent to Scotland; the value will amount to near half a million ſterling.*

LONDON.

July 3. On Wedneſday diſpatches, it is ſaid, of the greateſt importance, were received at the Secretary of State's office, and which contain the ultimatum of three great northern powers.

Lord North has the ſtate of public credit at preſent under conſideration, and it is expected that ſome ſalutary laws, with reſpect to commercial failures particularly, will be paſſed in the next ſeſſion of Parliament.

Advices from the Continent ſay, that the Ruſſian forces now in different parts of the kingdom of Poland, amount in the whole to 31 regiments of infantry, 40 of cavalry, 5 of huſſars, and 9000 coſſacks, each regiment of foot being compoſed of 2000 men, and horſe 800; the total of theſe troops make upwards of 80,000.

All the late accounts from Poland are full of the miſeries ſuffered by the inhabitants of that unhappy kingdom, it containing no leſs than eight different armies, compoſed of foreigners. Theſe letters add, that many of the moſt opulent and principal families are at preſent obliged to ſend their jewels and moſt valuable portable effects to Hamburgh and Holland, either to ſell or pawn, in order to raiſe money, their eſtates being entirely deſolated by the ravages and depredations of their own countrymen, or under contribution to the Ruſſian, Pruſſian, and Imperial armies.

July 4. A letter from Hanover, June 19, ſays, "The Queen of Denmark, Caroline Matilda, is in perfect health at the Goerde; it is not known yet where ſhe will fix her reſidence."

Extract of a letter from Warſaw, June 17.

"Prince Shackowſky is arrived here from the Ruſſian Army, with advice, that a ſuſpenſion of arms was concluded the 30th of May, at Giurgewo, between the Ruſſians and the Turks, the principal articles of which are as follow:

1. All hoſtilities and military operations ſhall ceaſe between the Ruſſian and Ottoman troops.

2. The Ruſſian troops, who are in the neighbourhood of Giurgewo, and upon the left ſhore of the Danube, and the Turkiſh troops, which are poſted over againſt that town, on the right ſhore of the Danube, ſhall obſerve the ſuſpenſion of arms from the day of its being ſigned, and the other territories in Europe and in Aſia, from the time of their receiving advice of it.

3. The two armies ſhall continue in the ſituation they are in at preſent during the ſuſpenſion of arms. The Danube ſhall be the boundaries of the two armies. No new fortreſſes ſhall be erected on either ſide, and the places which were demoliſhed towards the end of the laſt campaign, ſhall not be repaired.

4. The Ottoman Porte agrees, that from the place where the congreſs is held, a courier be diſpatched by Conſtantinople to the Archipelago, to let the Ruſſian Commander by ſea and land know, that the ſuſpenſion of arms is agreed upon; that he may concert proper meaſures with the Turkiſh Commander, to ſtop all warlike operations in thoſe parts.

5. The ſuſpenſion of arms is to extend over all Crimea and the Black Sea, ſo that no Turkiſh armed veſſel ſhall be permitted to enter the Danube or the Nieſter, neither ſhall any Turkiſh veſſel appear in any of the ports of the Crimea, unleſs forced in there by diſtreſs; but all the veſſels at preſent in the Danube are allowed the free navigation of that river. If, notwithſtanding all theſe precautions, any diſpute ſhould ariſe between the inhabitants of each ſide the river, the Commiſſaries are to ſettle matters between them.

6. The Ottoman Porte engages not to fortify the fortreſſes of Oczakow and Kiburn, during the ſuſpenſion of arms, nor ſend troops, or build magazines there; but the Porte is left at liberty to keep up the troops they have there at preſent, and to provide for their inhabitants, and if any veſſels, laden with proviſion for thoſe places, ſhould by any misfortune be thrown upon the coaſt of Beſarabia or Crimea, all poſſible aſſiſtance ſhall be given them, that they be not hindered from proſecuting their voyage.

7. When any Ruſſian ſhips, laden with proviſions for Crimea or the Danube, ſhall be driven by any misfortune into any of the Turkiſh ports, either in Europe or Aſia, every neceſſary aſſiſtance ſhall be given them.

8. In Kuban and Georgia, and wherever there are any troops, all warlike operations ſhall ceaſe, as ſoon as they receive advice of the ſuſpenſion of arms. All fortreſſes and places are to remain in the hands of thoſe, in whoſe poſſeſſion they are when the account of the ſuſpenſion of arms arrives; and with reſpect to thoſe diſtricts, where lines of ſeparation are to be made, every thing will, in conſequence of this ſuſpenſion of arms, be ſettled amicably.

9. This ſuſpenſion of arms is to continue in force in Moldavia, Valachia, Beſarabia, Crimea, the Kuban, and in all the provinces and territories of the two parties; and likewiſe on the other ſide of and in the Black Sea, without mentioning any certain time, till thoſe, who are impowered to negotiate the peace, are aſſembled, who will open the congreſs immediately, and be at liberty to lengthen or ſhorten this ſuſpenſion, as they ſhall think moſt to the advantage of the two powers; but, in caſe a peace ſhould not take place, then the ſuſpenſion of arms in Georgia, Mingrelia, and the neighbouring countries, ſhall continue in force till the firſt of October next, on account of the great diſtance of thoſe places. And for the reſt, that no advantage ſhall be taken from this ſuſpenſion of arms to increaſe their conqueſts on either ſide.

10. The places in Moldavia or Valachia, where the congreſs is to be held, ſhall be appointed within eight days after the Chiefs of both armies ſhall have ratified this convention."

Extract of a letter from Cracow, June 13.

"Tyniec has not ſurrendered yet. The day before yeſterday the fine church, with three ſteeples, was burnt, and totally deſtroyed, by the cannonading. The Auſtrian troops and Ruſſians are in diſpute who ſhall have the honour of taking the place, which cannot hold out many days."

Extract of a letter from the Borders of the River Wichſel, June 18.

"The Pruſſian troops are in poſſeſſion of all Poliſh Pruſſia, except Dantzick and Thorn; and they will come under the protection of the King of Pruſſia as ſoon as peace is concluded."

July 6. *Notwithſtanding the reports of the late coalition among the Friends of Liberty, there never was a greater likelihood of a ſharp conteſt for the dignity of Lord Mayor at the next election; for, we are aſſured, the Aldermen Townſend and Sawbridge will be ſupported by the Conſtitutional Society, the Aldermen Croſby and Wilkes by the Bill of Rights, and the Aldermen Shakeſpear and Sir James Eſdaile, by the Friends of Government.*

Thurſday laſt Francis Johnſon, Eſq; the Gentleman who ſo lately diſtinguiſhed himſelf in the ſuppreſſion of the Hearts of Steel in Ireland, was, by his Majeſty, created a Baronet of that kingdom, as a reward for his ſervices.

A letter from Paris gives it as authentic intelligence, that the French and Spaniſh Courts are to receive a ſum of money conjunctly from the ſpoilers of Poland, to withhold them from intermeddling in their partition of that kingdom, and to make them remain neuter.

The Captors of Poland ſeem to be of the opinion, that if the mouths of France and Spain are ſhut, Great-Britain will not be of conſequence enough to diſturb them; for the chief force of Britain being in her Navy, it can have no effect on Poland; and her land forces are but a handful, in compariſon of thoſe vaſt armies which are ſupported by the Continental Powers.

The ſubſcription that was opened at a certain Office near the Royal Exchange, by order of three noble Scotch Perſonages, for the purpoſe of raiſing 150,000*l. at* 7 *years purchaſe, for the lives of the buyers, and the purpoſe of ſupporting a certain Scotch Bank, was on Friday cloſed, and only* 50,000*l. accepted, although the whole ſum was nearly offered.*

The ſame day the Directors of the Bank ſat till 8 *o'clock in the evening, when, it is aſſerted, they came to the laudable reſolution of advancing* 300,000*l. in ſupport of the above Scotch Bank, the ſecurity offered them being approved of, which occaſioned the ſtop in the aforeſaid circulation of annuities.*

July 7. By the laſt accounts from Copenhagen we hear, that the final ſentence of Colonel Falkenſhiold is, a diſmiſſion from all his employments, a degradation from all his honours, and perpetual impriſonment in the caſtle of Dronthim in Norway, with an allowance of only half a crown per day.

Letters from Dantzick ſay, there are no leſs than 130,000 foreign combatants in the kingdom of Poland, now living on the vitals of that already deſolated country.

By letters from the Continent we are informed, that the orders iſſued by the Courts of Peterſburgh and Vienna, to their reſpective Generals, have not been ſufficiently clear and conciſe, and that it is probable, if this overſight be not immediately remedied, the two armies will come to blows.

By letters from the grand Pruſſian camp at Marienwerder, of the 16th ult. we learn, that a detachment from the Pruſſian army had, two days before, occupied the ſuburbs of Elbing, as preparatory to the taking poſſeſſion of that city, in the name of the King their maſter.

Letters from the Auſtrian Netherlands ſay, that the Government is extremely vigilant in putting the military upon a reſpectable footing, and that ſeveral officers of diſtinction had lately arrived at Bruſſels from Vienna for that purpoſe, viz. one Major-General, and eight Field Officers.

Letters from Paris inform us, that there had been a moſt violent ſtorm of thunder, hail, and rain, in the neighbourhood of Thouloufe, the 20th of laſt month, which laid twenty pariſhes under water, carried away many houſes, deſtroyed the produce of the earth to a great extent, and had done irreparable damage to many farmers in that neighbourhood, and totally deſtroyed the vineyards.

An advice-boat from the Manillas is arrived at Ferrol, with an account, that Port Emanuel has been almoſt totally deſtroyed by a violent earthquake, which being ſucceeded by a violent tornado and inundation of the ſea, all the fortifications were carried away, and the harbour deſtroyed; at the mouth of which twenty ſhips, French and Spaniſh, with great part of their crews, were loſt.

A letter from Cracow, dated June 11, ſays, "though the Confederates ſeem to take reſt now and then, the famous Chief Potocki has jnſt publiſhed a manifeſto, by which he exhorts all the Polanders to ſupport and join the Confederacy."

Hardly a day paſſes but ſome of the Confederates arrive at Cracow, and ſurrender to the Ruſſians. The Regimentary Skluſki, and Colonel Lenatowicz, are come to ſurrender to General Suwarow, with 250 men. An Officer of the Confederates named Peſcherkerſki has ſurrendered, with his troops, to General Branicki. Mr. Shutz is come hither with 380 men, and hath made an advantageous agreement with General de Suwarow. He is at liberty, and his officers and ſoldiers have received their pardon.

The laſt letters from Hamburgh adviſe, that the famous Marſhal of the Confederates in Poland, Pulawſky, was lately ſurprized and taken at Lubicner in Sileſia, by the Pruſſian Major de Reitzenſtein, who ſent him to Potzdam, from whence he will probably be ſent to Warſaw, where he will meet with his puniſhment, unleſs he can clear himſelf from the accuſation laid againſt him of being the author of the attempt which was made againſt the life of the King of Poland.

July 8. The Friends of the Conſtitution may be aſſured, there is a moſt perfect reconciliation and cordiality amongſt the Popular Party in the City. The future actions of each will juſtify this opinion.

The Treaſury Board has, we hear, a propoſal before it at preſent, which will effectually prevent the exportation of bullion from this kingdom, the great increaſe of trade rendering the decreaſe of circulation a double calamity, and making it the duty of a wiſe Miniſtry to check the progreſs of the evil.

The Queen of Denmark, in her letter to the K---, expreſſes a ſtrong deſire to return to England, and enforces her intreaties with ſuch ſolid reaſons, that it is the general opinion of thoſe acquainted with the Court, that his M------ will conſent to her requeſt. Our Correſpondent thinks, that her deſire to return hither is a freſh proof of her innocence; for was ſhe guilty of the crimes laid to her charge, England would be one of the laſt places ſhe would wiſh to ſee.

A new Redoubt and Half-Moon are ordered to be built at Dover Caſtle, on the ſide next the ſea; the former to mount 12, the latter 26 guns.

Extract of a letter from New-Caſtle, July 4.

"On Monday laſt ſeveral of the moſt reſpectable Gentlemen and Merchants in this town and neighbourhood met here, in conſequence of the many failures which have lately happened in London, and in Scotland, and of the wound which credit in general ſuſtains by a ſhock of that nature; and articles of aſſociation were ſpontaneouſly entered into, in ſupport of the credit and ſtability of the two Banks of this town, which we have the pleaſure to aſſure the public, have totally diſpelled any ill-founded apprehenſions touching the taking or circulation of Newcaſtle Bank Notes."

Extract of a Letter from Copenhagen, June 23.

"The Miniſtry here are not a little puzzled to ſcrape together 70,000 dollars (in Engliſh money about 11,000 l.) which ſum they thought to have divided among themſelves. This ſum was the amount in value of Dr. Struenſee's eſtate and effects, but the King of Pruſſia having opportunely taken this phyſician under his protection, by appointing him one of his royal profeſſors in mathematics, his Majeſty gave him orders to make out a full and juſt account of his effects, &c. in Denmark, and to lay before him an exact ſpecification to the minuteſt farthing, which having been done, it was immediately ſent by his Majeſty's orders to the Daniſh Miniſtry, and a demand for the ſame was inſtantly made in his Majeſty the King of Pruſſia's name. For the King inſiſting that his new ſubject, Dr. Struenſee, having not been found guilty of leſe Majeſty, had not incurred a forfeiture either of his eſtate in land, or of his effects, and that conſequently he was juſtly and legally intitled to a full reſtitution of both the one and the other. This thundering memorial the Doctor preſented himſelf in perſon to the Daniſh Miniſtry, on the 20th of June, but we have not yet learned what anſwer, if any, was given to it: The Doctor, however, thought it prudent not to make too long a reſidence at Copenhagen, for he ſet out from this city a few hours after he had delivered his memorial, and is gone to Lubeck on another commiſſion of a more ſecret nature."

A letter from Edinburgh, dated July 3, ſays, "We hear that all the banks, eſtabliſhed at Glaſgow, have agreed to ſupport one another in caſe there ſhould be occaſion, in the preſent emergency, but as their ſolidity is well known, there will be little occaſion for this precaution.

A meſſenger was yeſterday diſpatched to our Ambaſſador at Conſtantinople, with inſtructions, to give his aſſiſtance in promoting and concluding the peace as ſoon as poſſible between Ruſſia and the Turks; from which it is imagined, that the Empreſs's troops are wanted in ſome other part of the world.

Some Engliſh ſhip carpenters in the Pruſſian ſervice are about building ſeveral ſhips of force for the navy at Cronſtadt, &c.

So greatly is the buſineſs at the Bank encreaſed, that at preſent the clerks attend every day, from 6 in the morning till 8 at night, which is treble the time that was uſual.

July 9. We are authoriſed to ſay, that the Directors of the Bank were *not* induced to act in the manner they lately did, nor were they prevailed upon to conſent to the diſcounting the 800,000 l. of Scotch Bills by any *perſuaſion* of *Lord North*, that Nobleman not interfering in any manner whatever, or attempting, by any means, to biaſs the Directors to act otherways than as appeared to them moſt conducive to the public good, and the intereſt of thoſe individuals with the ſuperintendance of whoſe property they are entruſted.

A Correſpondent informs us, that the affairs of the Continent become every day more and more alarming. The ſtratagems made uſe of by the Pruſſian Monarch, to accumulate an additional territory to his dominions, it is ſuppoſed, will occaſion a vaſt change in the ſyſtem of Europe. The ſecrecy with which the plan has been conducted, the martial genius of the Emperor, and the diſpoſition of ſeveral of the German Potentates, it is feared, will in the end create a commotion, in which Great-Britain muſt, however well diſpoſed for *peace*, interfere, in order to prevent the execution of a plan deſtructive to the tranquility of Europe.

The report of Prince Maſſerano's ſetting out for France, in order to prevail upon the French Monarch to accede to the views, and ſecond the deſigns of the Spaniſh Court, we have every reaſon to believe altogether groundleſs. France is by no means diſpoſed for war, and ſhould ſhe be forced to form any *hoſtile* union, in all probability it would be with Great-Britain, as the continental commotions, and the ſituation of Poland, ſeems to render a league between theſe two Crowns at preſent, more natural, as well as neceſſary, than a junction of any other kind.

Application has been made to a Great Perſon, by the principal Creditors, to have Mr. F. ſent for from France; and we are told, that if he does not appear to the ſtatute, which ends the 16th inſtant, application will be made to the Court of France to have him delivered up.

July 10. *All we can learn, ſays a Correſpondent, from the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee on Eaſt-India Affairs is, that our Engliſh Nabobs are a Tribe of Culprits, whoſe Actions merit a ſeverer Species of envenomed Satire than our modern, or even the antient Ariſtophanes, could invent or beſtow.*

It is reported, that our Court has refuſed to ſign the Treaty propoſed by the Czarina to the Courts of London, Vienna, Berlin, Copenhagen, and Stockholm. All the other Powers have acceded, and the Britiſh Name is, in Conſequence thereof, eraſed.

Extract of a Letter from Poland.

"*On the* 12*th of June, one of the Pruſſian Generals, with a Detachment from the main Army, went to the Town of Braikow, where there is a ſmall Garriſon, now in the Hands of the Crown, and demanded the Keys of the Caſtle in his Maſter's Name. The Commandant anſwered him, That the Caſtle had been entruſted to him to guard by the King of Poland, his Maſter, and that he would not ſurrender it to any one but to him, or his expreſs Order. The Pruſſian General, finding he was threatened with a warm Reception, if he uſed any Force, diſpatched a Meſſenger to the grand Camp at Marienwerder, to receive Orders from his Maſter how he ſhould proceed. But the King not having yet returned from Lithuania, the Affair is ſtill in Suſpence. We are impatient to hear how it will be determined.*"

Extract of a Letter from on board the Hope Merchant-ſhip, Captain James Carr, dated at Malaga, May 30, 1772.

"We arrived here on the 27th all in good Health, though we encountered a dangerous Storm in the Bay of Biſcay. On the 28th 7 Sail of Spaniſh Men of War, and two Frigates, ſailed out of the Harbour for Seville, where they are to be joined by ſome more Men of War, who have two Officers to command the Fleet, an Admiral, and a Vice Admiral; they are afterwards to proceed on ſome ſecret Expedition, but to what Part of the World is kept a profound Secret.

The Adelphi Buildings were, it is ſaid, mortgaged for a Loan of 70,000 l. previous to the late unhappy Failures of the Banks, and

it is said that Architects had laid out as much more upon them; so that in the Course of 5 Years these Gentlemen expended 140,000 l. to raise Palaces upon an offensive Heap of Mud, and circulated an immense Sum, to make a palpable Nuisance a principal Ornament of the Metropolis.

We hear that the Commission of Bankruptcy taken out against Mess. Glynn and Halifax, was Yesterday superseded, and that they will begin to pay next Monday.

[*For more* LONDON NEWS, *see the* POSTSCRIPT.]

SAVANNAH (in Georgia) August 19.

A Sloop, Lawrence, Master, from Philadelphia, bound to Pensacola, had her Mast and Spars tore to Pieces by Lightning last Wednesday, in the Harbour of New Providence, where they went for a Pilot.

WILLIAMSBURG, September 10.

Captain M'Larty, from Glasgow, arrived in James River, on the 3d Instant spoke the Brigantine Elizabeth, of New-York, William Brown, Master, from St. Domingo, who gave an Account of a severe Hurricane having been in that Island, Jamaica, and in the Gulph of Florida, the 2d of August last; and that 13 Sail of Jamaica Men, bound for London, were obliged to put into Cape Francois, most of them dismasted, and in great Distress. Several Vessels were lost on Turks Island, the Names of which he did not know.

The Generous Friend, Smith, sent Express from London to the Merchants here on Account of the late Failures, was seized by the Glasgow Man of War, for Want of a Register; but this Day, at a Court of Admiralty, was discharged, paying Costs.

The Schooner Peggy, Captain Crombie, from Philadelphia, arrived in James River, on the 1st of this Instant, in a violent Gale of Wind, lost two of his Horses, and had every Thing on his Deck entirely washed off. The Magdalen Tender, in the same Gale, met with a Schooner, belonging to Carolina, full of Water. They humanely took the Crew, almost famished, on board their Vessel.

ANNAPOLIS, September 17.

On Friday last, as Mr. *Henry Child* was walking over his Plantation, Part of *Anne-Arundel* Manor, a Gust suddenly arose; the Rain caused him to take Shelter under a Stack of Straw, which was soon set on Fire by the Lightning; the Family seeing it in a Blaze, his Son went out, and found his Father dead, and his Body consuming in the Flames.

NEW-YORK, *September 21.*

Captain Breen, in 6 Weeks from the Bay of Honduras, informs us, That the 20th ult. he spoke with a Schooner, from the Musqueto Shore, bound for Jamaica, 50 Days out, and not being able to make her desired Port, was standing for South-Carolina; the 5th Instant, in Lat. 33: 14, Long. 74: 30, spoke with Ephraim Gilbert, in a Sloop, from Madeira for South-Carolina, who had lost his Mast and Boom, in a terrible Gale of Wind, and acquainted Captain Breen, that the Day after the Gale, he saw a square rigged Vessel dismasted, and that he afterwards passed by many Pieces of Wreck; the 10th Instant, in Lat. 37: 16, Capt. Breen also spoke with Capt. Johnston, in a Brig, from Jamaica for Boston, 5 Weeks out, who informed him, that 10 Sail were lately cast away at Montego-Bay, in that Island; and that he sailed in Company with a Ship for this Port, called either the Hector, or Hester.

By Captain Manby, from Ocracock, in North-Carolina, in 8 Days, we have an Account of the following Vessels being lost at that Place the First Instant, in a violent Gale of Wind, viz. Captain Clarke, in a Schooner, from Edentown, lost, and all the Crew perished; Captain Pearse, in a Brig from the same Place, bound to Jamaica, lost, with the Cargoe, but the Crew saved; Capt. Towers, in a Schooner, from Boston, lost, the Crew saved; Capt. Hill, from Virginia, the Vessel lost, People saved; a Sloop of about 50 Tons, loaded with Cedar, for Philadelphia, lost; and Capt. Mills, from the same Port, drove ashore, but both their Crews were saved; Capt. Done, in a Schooner, from Connecticut, lost, Crew and Cargoe saved; Capt. Corter, from Edentown, lost; Capt. Pender, from Newbern, lost, Cargoe saved; Capt. Conway, in a Sloop, from this Port, lost, Cargoe saved; and Capt. Thomas, from this Port also, Vessel entirely lost, and the Mate and three of the People drowned; the Captain, three Days after, was taken up, about six Miles from the Land, from Part of the Wreck, by a Vessel bound in; and the same Day a Lad, named John Burrows, belonging to the same Sloop, was also taken up by another Vessel, inward bound, from some of the Wreck, 12 Leagues to the Northward of Ocracock, and a Sloop, Name unknown, was drove out to Sea, and never again heard of.

PHILADELPHIA, *September 23.*

Saturday last the GENERAL ASSEMBLY of this Province adjourned to the Thirtieth Instant. During their Sitting the following Law was passed, viz. *An* ACT *for the Support of the Government of this Province, and Payment of the public Debts.*

Captain All, from London, on the 30th of July, in Lat. 49: 16, Long. 9: 34, spoke the Brig Defiance, from Providence for London: On the 14th ult. in Lat. 44: 32, Long. 34, spoke the Ship Hero, Captain Brown, from St. Thomas for Amsterdam: On the 17th, in Lat. 45: 18, Long. 39: 20, spoke a Brig from St. Croix for Milford, out 33 Days: On the 22d, in Lat. 42: 47, Long. 49: 3, spoke the Ship Royal Exchange, Capt. Woodford, from Virginia for London: On the 25th, in Lat. 41: 14, Long. 49: 3, spoke a Snow, Capt. Robinson, and a Brig, Capt. Benson, from Virginia for Liverpool, out 13 Days: On the 3d Inst. in Lat. 37: 2, Long. 65: 47, spoke a Ship, Capt. Robinson from Cowes for this Port, out 8 Weeks and 5 Days; and on the 10th, 30 Leagues from our Capes, spoke the Brig Rachel, Capt. Simmons, from this Port for Barbados, out one Day, who had carried away his Main Boom.

With Captain All came Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. MEASE, Mrs. BARCLAY, Mrs. BOWMAN, and SON, Miss STRETTELL, Miss FORBES, and Mr. LEWIS.

Captain Sparks sailed in Company with Captain All, and is hourly expected.

Captains Falconer and Sutton were to sail about three Weeks after Captain All.

Captain Osborne, from London, on the 22d of July, off Plymouth, spoke a Raft Ship, from Newberry for London: On the 16th ult. in Lat. 41, Long. 40, spoke two Whaling Sloops, belonging to Boston, out two Months, who had one Fish; and on the 5th Inst. in Lat 34, Long. 61, spoke the Brig Belvadore, Capt. Farrel, from St. Augustine, full of Soldiers, on an Expedition for St. Vincents, out 20 Days.

With Captain Osborne came Passengers, Dr. FARMER, his LADY, and DAUGHTER, Rev. Mr. WILLIAM WHITE, JACOB RUSH, Esq; Mr. DAVID SPROAT, Mr. JOHN BENEZET, &c. The Phœbe, Captain Castle, sailed with Captain Osborne.

Captain Gill, from London, on the 28th of July, off the Start Point, spoke the Beaver, Captain De Peyster, from Hull for New-York; on the 28th ult. in Lat. 40, Long. 4-, spoke the Sloop Dove, Captain Swaine; and the Schooner Venus, Captain Russell, belonging to Nantucket, out 18 Weeks on a Whaling Voyage, and were homeward bound, with two Fish each; 31st, in Lat. 37: 30, Long. 47: 30, spoke the Brig Waters, Captain Nixon, from Rotterdam, but last from the Orkneys, 39 Days out from thence, bound for North-Carolina; and on the 20th Instant, about 18 Leagues to the Eastward of our Capes, he spoke the Brig Isabella, Captain Brown, from this Port for St. Vincents.

Captain Brown, from Cape-Fear, informs us, that on the 31st of August, 14 Vessels were drove ashore, and totally lost, with several Seamen: Capt. Brown was assisted by his Majesty's Ship Tamer, with an Anchor and Cable: On the 7th Inst. his Majesty's Sloop King's Fisher, arrived there from Boston, who had thrown overboard 8 Guns, had carried away two Topmasts, and all her Sails; and a Brig bound for Cork, had parted both her Anchors, and was obliged to put back, and unload her Cargoe. Capt. Brown, on the 11th, spoke a Sloop, Capt. Scott, from Jamaica, going into that Port; also, saw a Vessel, that had lost her Main-mast, but could not tell whether a Brig or Snow.----We are further informed, that considerable Damage was done at Newbern, and several Wharfs, Ware-houses, &c. washed away.

Captain Briscoe, from Liverpool for North-Carolina, on the 7th ult. in Lat. 35: 38, Long. 51: 53, spoke the Ship Friendship, from Jamaica for Liverpool, out 39 Days: On the 29th, in Lat. 35: 30, Long. 74: 20, spoke a Sloop, from Norfolk in Virginia for Antigua, out 24 Hours; and on the 31st, in Lat. 35: 30, Long. 74: 30, met with a heavy Gale of Wind, off Ocracock Bar, shipped a Sea abaft the Main Chains, which stove his Long-boat, every Thing on Deck, and the Water Casks in the Hold, damaged all the Bread, overset the Brig, and destroyed the Sails: In that Condition they lay between three and four Hours, with the Vessel almost under Water; they used all their Endeavours to right her, but in vain, 'till obliged to cut away the Main-mast by the Board. Three Men were buried in the Salt for some Time, but fortunately they got them out alive, though much bruised.

Captain Kollock, from St. Vincent, informs, that on the 27th ult. as he lay in St. Eustatia Road, a Hurricane came on, and drove ashore a great Number of Vessels, 5 of which entirely lost: Capt. Kollock lost his Bowsprit, an Anchor and a Cable, and was obliged to put to Sea: On the 31st, in Lat. 22: 53, Long. 64, passed by a Brig, standing to the Southward, that had lost her Masts, Boom and Bow-sprit; she had a low black single Deck, a long Quarter-deck, and no Head; she had a Jury-mast, and made several Signals for Captain Kollock to come to them, which he would willingly have done, but was in great Distress himself, and it blew very hard.

Captain Robertson, from Cadiz, on the 7th Instant, in Lat. 31: 56, Long. 60: 17, spoke a Sloop, Captain Campbell, from New-York for St. Thomas's, out 16 Days, all well.

The Ship Minerva, Captain Johnson, is arrived here from Rotterdam, with Palatines.

ARRIVALS.

From Philadelphia. The Carolina, Loxley, at Dover; Betsy, Hood, at Bristol; and the Phœnix, Gamble, at Jamaica.

From South-Carolina. The Swallow, Anstey; and Christian, Muir, at Hamburgh; Russia Merchant, Clarkson, and Cæsar, M'Cowen, at Rotterdam; Charming Sally, Bernard, and Duke of Athol, Grindley, at Cowes.

From North-Carolina. The Sukey, Whitewood, at Portsmouth.

From Maryland. The Britannia, Scott, at Glasgow; and the Rainbow, Rose, at Bristol.

From New-York. The New-York, Watson, and Grace, Young, at Bristol.

From Boston. The Hope, Eason, in London; and the Joanna, Brown, in the Channel.

Gravesend, July 15. Passed by, The Fanny, Barrow, from Virginia.

The Thetis, Hayton, for Maryland, was in the Downs on the 13th of July; as was also the Adventure, Maynard, for Ditto, on the 15th.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia.* INWARD ENTRIES.

Sloop Robert, W. Bunting, from Virginia. Schooner Dove, P. Stafford, Schooner two Brothers, C. Gale, and Brig Charming Sally, J. Brown, N. Carolina. Schooner Becky, R. Harris, Georgia. Sloop Peace and Plenty, J. Anthony, R. Island. Schooner William, J. Gorham, Newfoundland. Brig Industry, P. Cushing, Boston. Brig Nancy and Molly, R. Bethell, Mississippi. Brig Paragon J. Burrows, and Ship Morris, T. Bell, Lisbon. Ship Lark, C. Biddle, and Sloop Adventure, T. Powell, Hispaniola. Sloop John, P. Kollock, St. Vincent. Ship Priscilla, J. Jones, Vianna. Brig Polly, J. Shields, Jamaica. Ship Pennsylvania Packet, P. Osborne, and Ship Richard Penn, I. All, London.

OUTWARDS. Sloop Hannah, G. May, for St. Croix. Sloop Ranger, J. Lambert, Tortola. Brig Paragon, J. Burrows, Lisbon. Schooner Hebe, J. Wilson, Hispaniola. Sloop Bentham, R. Alberson, N. York.

CLEARED. Sloop Friendship, J. Thelobell, and Sloop Robert, W. Bunting, to Virginia. Brig Friendship, J. Blewer, S. Carolina. Sloop Dove, D. Ferguson, and Ship Hannah, J. Mitchell, N. York. Brig Dolphin, J. Russell, Dominica. Ship Peggy, E. Yorke, Madeira. Snow Thomas and Mary, P. Hardy, Cadiz. Schooner Pennsylvania Packet, J. Dougherty, N. Carolina. Snow Dickenson, J. Johnston, and Schooner Kingston, R. Patterson, Jamaica. Brig Dolphin, T. Candell, Lisbon. Brig Thomas, T. Bernard, Cork. Sloop Friendship, A. Adderley, N. Providence. Schooner Industry, M. Williamson, Halifax. Sloop Russell, N. Martin, and Schooner Lovely Lass, J. Stephen, Maryland.

JUST PUBLISHED, and to be SOLD by
JOHN DUNLAP, in Market-street,
FATHER ABRAHAM's ALMANACK,
For the YEAR of our LORD, 1773.

THOMAS AND GEORGE MIFFLIN
Have imported, in the Ship Richard Penn, Captain All, from London,
A very large Assortment of FALL GOODS. 5w.

MEASE AND CALDWELL
HAVE just imported, in the ship Richard Penn, from London, the Chalkley, from Bristol, and other late vessels from Europe, A large Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, adapted for the season; which they will sell very low, for cash, or short credit, at their store, in Water-street, the third door above Chestnut-street, Philadelphia. 6 w.

Philadelphia, September 23, 1772.
To be SOLD cheap, for cash, or short credit, by
JAMES STUART,
At his store, in Second-street, between Chestnut & Walnut-streets,
A NEAT and general Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, suitable for the approaching season, imported in the ship Pennsylvania Packet, from London, and other late vessels from Britain. N. B. He has also for sale, choice Muscovado sugar, and Jamaica spirits. ¶

ROBERT WILSON
HAS just imported, in the Pennsylvania Packet, Captain Osborne, from London, and other late vessels from Britain, A neat Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, suitable to the approaching season; which he will dispose of, on the most reasonable terms, at his store, in Second-street, near the corner of Chestnut-street, Philadelphia. ¶

BENJAMIN DEAN
HAS just imported, in the ship Richard Penn, Captain All, from London, and is now opening, at his store in Second-street, between Market and Arch-streets, next door to Mr. David Franks, A neat and general Assortment of FALL GOODS, which he is determined to sell on very low terms, for cash, or short credit.

WILLIAM MILLER,
At his store, in Front-street, the corner of Gray's-alley, between Chestnut and Walnut-streets, hath just imported, in the ship Richard Penn, Captain All, from London, and the last Vessel from Bristol,
A NEAT Assortment of MERCHANDIZE, suitable for the approaching season; which he will sell, on the most reasonable terms, for cash, or short credit. He daily expects a further supply by Capt. Sparks, and other vessels from London, &c.
RAISINS by the Keg, a few Bales of excellent Cotton, Sugars, Coffee, Chocolate, Pepper, Allspice, Ginger, Madder, Logwood, Redwood, Fustick, Allom, Copperas, and Brimstone, and divers other Articles, to be sold by
BENEDICT DORSEY,
In Third-street, nearly opposite to the Work-house. ¶

BOULTING-CLOTHS.
A COMPLETE Assortment of Boulting-Cloths, from the Manufactory, warranted to exceed any ever yet imported to America, is just arrived, and to be sold by PETER TURNER, at his warehouse, in Market-street, the 4th door above the London Coffee-house; where Millers and others may depend on being supplied always, with cloths suitable to every branch of the business, and at a moderate price.
N. B. As said *Turner* expects a large supply continually, it will induce him to sell at a low profit; any persons wanting a quantity, may depend on having the best of cloths, and considerable allowance made them.

CALEB AND AMOS FOULKE
HAVE imported, in the Pennsylvania Packet, Captain Osborne, and the ship Richard Penn, Captain All, from London, A large and general Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, suitable to the season; which are now opening for sale, at their store, on the north side of Market-street, near the corner of Fourth-street. ¶

WANTED, several sums of MONEY, on undoubted security. A parcel of young NEGROE MEN, provided they are hearty and sound, all other faults will be no objection. To be sold, several valuable PLANTATIONS, in this and the neighbouring colonies.---Likewise, several Houses and Lots, in the city and suburbs. If PETER SEISS, who, at the latter end of last war, lived about 25 miles from Philadelphia, be alive, he may hear of something to his advantage. A sober young MAN, who can bring undoubted proofs of his character, and has a capital of One Hundred Pounds, may join in an advantageous business. For further particulars, please to apply at THE PHILADELPHIA PUBLIC GENERAL REGISTER OFFICE OF INTELLIGENCE; where a large and general Assortment of GOODS may be had, by the Subscriber, at his Office, in Front-street. ¶
WILLIAM IBISON, BROKER.

Philadelphia, September 18, 1772.
On Thursday, the 15th of October, will be SOLD, by public VENDUE, on the premises, pursuant to a Decree of the County Court of Frederick, in the Colony of VIRGINIA, for satisfying a debt, due from JACOB HITE, to RICHARD and PETER FOOTMAN, FRANCIS RICHARDSON, CLEMENT BIDDLE, and DANIEL WISTER,
A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, containing 3118 acres (more or less) with the dwelling-house, stores and buildings thereon erected, situate in Berkeley county (formerly part of Frederick county) within 18 miles of Winchester, on the great road leading thence from Shweringan's Ferry. Also 27 valuable NEGROE slaves. The said tract is well watered and improved, being the plantation whereon the said JACOB HITE now lives, and from its situation, and other great improvements and advantages, is esteemed equal to any place in Frederick county. ¶

Philadelphia, September 22, 1772.
THE Officers who served in the PENNSYLVANIA REGIMENT, in the Year 1764, and who have any Claim to the Lands granted by the Honourable Proprietaries to them, are desired to meet at Mr. JOHN LITTLE's, on Monday, the 9th Day of November, 1772, in order to take out their Patents, and settle their Accounts. All those Officers, who do not attend, by themselves or Attornies, will be looked upon as Delinquents, and may expect their Names to be struck off the List, and their Shares granted to those who do comply with the Terms of the Grant.
TURBUTT FRANCIS, Lieut. Col.
JAMES IRVINE, Captain, } Commissioners.

RICHARD HUMPHREYS, GOLDSMITH,
HAVING taken the house in which PHILIP SYNG lately dwelt, hereby informs his friends and the public, that he now carries on the GOLDSMITH's Business, in all its branches, at the aforesaid place, a few doors below the Coffee-house, where he has for sale, a NEAT and GENERAL ASSORTMENT of GOLD and SILVER WARE. Those who will please to favour him with their custom, may be assured of his utmost ability to give satisfaction, both in the quality and workmanship; such favours will be gratefully acknowledged by their friend, RICHARD HUMPHREYS.
THE subscriber, having lately removed into Upper Merion township, hereby informs his friends and former customers, that they may be supplied as usual, at his late dwelling, by the above-named RICHARD HUMPHREYS, whom he hereby recommends to them, as a person qualified to serve them on the best terms, and whose fidelity in the above business will engage their future confidence and regard. PHILIP SYNG. ¶

To the FREEHOLDERS, and other ELECTORS, of the City and County of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I AM much obliged to you for the good Opinion you have entertained of me, in choosing me one of your Assessors for several Years past; but as it is very inconvenient for me to attend that Service any longer, I must request the Favour of you to choose some other Person, at the ensuing Election, instead of
Your real Friend, BENJAMIN MARSHALL.

FOR LONDON,
THE SHIP
PENNSYLVANIA PACKET,
PETER OSBORNE,
COMMANDER,

HAS good Accommodations for Passengers, and will sail with all convenient Expedition. For Freight, or Passage, apply to JOSHUA FISHER and SONS, or said Commander on board, at their Wharff; or at the London Coffee-House.

Somerset County, New-Jersey, Sept. 18, 1772.
STOLEN *out of the pasture of the subscriber, at Rarriton, a* BAY HORSE, *6 years old, about 14½ hands high, a natural trotter, has a drooping star in his forehead, one white hind foot, short switch tail, branded* TP *on his right buttock, and on his left shoulder with the letter* S; *he is a light horse, and is middling low in flesh. Whoever takes up the said horse, so that the owner may get him again, shall receive* FORTY SHILLINGS *reward, and for the horse and thief, so that the thief may be brought to justice,* THREE POUNDS, *paid by* PHILIP TUNISON. ¶

THREE POUNDS Reward.
RUN away from the subscriber, living near the town of New-Castle, on the road leading from thence to Christiana Ferry, an Irish servant man, named GEORGE PARKS, about 20 years of age, near 5 feet 8 inches high, of a sandy complexion, and somewhat marked with the small-pox; had on, when he went away, a half-worn wool hat, and old blue coat, and jacket, of broadcloth, a striped shirt, and tow trowsers, with old shoes, and brass buckles, but may change them the first opportunity; it is supposed he will go to Shippen's town, having enquired the way at his departure. Whoever takes up the said servant, and brings him to the subscriber, or secures him in any of his Majesty's goals, shall receive the above reward, and reasonable charges. Stolen from the subscriber, in May last, a strawberry-roan Ridgling, about 12 hands high, a quarter blooded, trots all, and has a dark mane and tail. Whoever brings him to the owner, shall receive *Forty Shillings*, and reasonable charges, paid by CHRISTIANA JACQUET. *Sept.* 14. 1772. ¶

Upper-Marion, Philadelphia county, September 14, 1772.
THREE POUNDS Reward.
WAS *committed to my custody, by* John Bull, *Esq; a person, by the name of* JAMES SMITH *(charged with Horse-stealing) who, on the way to the next Constable, found means to escape, leaving behind him a large, valuable, well broke and gaited, sorrel Stone horse, about six years old, has a blaze in the face, his two hind legs white, almost to the knee, branded on the near buttock with the letter B, and another uncertain: And a small young sorrel Mare, with a blaze in the face: Also left in the neighbourhood, some wearing apparel, viz. a surtout coat, two shirts, and two pair of stockings, &c. The creatures are supposed to be stolen, and this is to notify, that they are now (and intended to be) kept by me, until proved, charges paid, and taken away. Said* SMITH *is thought to be country-born, came from the Jerseys, is of middle size, and well set, a little stoop shouldered, about 30 years of age, down look, light brown hair, and thick legs: had on a good blue cloth coat, a nankeen jacket, knit breeches, worsted stockings, good shoes, and buckles. Public justice demands the assistance of all persons, who have it in their power, to apprehend and secure him.* PETER HOLSTON. ¶

TEN DOLLARS Reward.

RAN *away from the subscribers, store-keepers, in Lancaster, an Irish servant lad, named* ANTHONY DIVER, *but will probably change his name, about five feet four or five inches high, is thick set, has black hair, a broad face, thick lips, a squint in his eyes, and a bad countenance; much addicted to sleep, and apt to laugh. Had on, when he went away, two whitish jackets, with small stripes, a pair of white twilled breeches, two pair of white stockings, one of them ribbed, and a new hat. As he was entrusted to change money, he is supposed to have taken a quantity along with him; he can read and write, and it is likely he will have a pass, and when spoke to, or challenged, seems very confused. He is supposed to have gone in company with two other servants. Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him, so that his masters may have him again, shall have the above reward, with reasonable charges, paid by* ¶

Sept. 9, 1772. JOSIAH and ROBERT LOCKHART.

FIFTEEN PISTOLES REWARD.

RUN AWAY *from the subscriber's plantation, in Murtherkiln Hundred, in Kent county, on Delaware, on Wednesday, the 2d of this instant September, Two Men, by profession ditchers (who are under articles to the subscriber) the one named* JAMES DICKSON, *alias* EDWARD ROGERS, *and for whom I stand bail, and took out of Queen-Anne's county goal, in the province of Maryland; he is about 5 feet 6 inches high, supposed to be between 32 and 35 years of age, smooth faced, a well made squat fellow, is very talkative, boasts much of knowledge in his business, and reports himself to be the heir of a very considerable estate in England. The other, named* JOHN COLE, *about 5 feet 7 inches high, a well made fellow, and bump backed. Their wearing apparel cannot be well described, as they took with them a change of clothes. It is supposed they will make for the Jersys. Whoever will take up the said two fellows, and secure them in any goal, within the province of Maryland, shall have, for* Dickson, *TEN PISTOLES, and for* Cole, *FIVE PISTOLES reward, paid by* JAMES HUTCHINGS, *junior.* ¶

TWELVE DOLLARS Reward.

RUN AWAY, *last night, from the subscriber, living in Sadsbury township, Lancaster county, a servant lad, named* JOHN COFFEE, *about 16 years of age, and about 5 feet high, sandy coloured bushy hair, slim built, pale face, with a bad down look, when sharply examined; had no clothes yet known of, except a wool hat, about half-worn, and shirt and trowsers, but perhaps he may have stole same, not yet found out; it is thought he has stole the under advertised mare. Whoever secures said lad, and mare, so that the owners may have them again, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges, or for the lad himself* Six Dollars, *paid by*

Ninth Month 18, 1772. ANDREW MOORE, *Miller.*

The same night was stolen, out of the pasture of Robert Williams, *in the aboveſaid township and county, a light coloured black MARE, about 9 years old, and about 15 hands high, round bodied, paces, trots and gallops; goes very light in her gaits; she has a broad breast, stands wide on her fore legs, she has a small star in her forehead, and under each ear a very small white spot, scarce discernable, shod before with a pair of old shoes, she has a short switch tail, and has had her ears and fetlocks trimmed some time ago, and is somewhat marked with a collar. Whoever secures said mare, so that the owner may have her again, shall have* Forty-five Shillings *reward, and reasonable charges, paid by* ROBERT WILLIAMS. ¶

IN pursuance, and by virtue of the last will and testament of BARNET HOLTZINGER, deceased, will be exposed to sale, by way of public vendue, at the house of WILLIAM ADAMS, Innkeeper, in Baltimore town, on Tuesday, the 2d day of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, a valuable TRACT of LAND, containing about 340 acres, whereof about 12 acres good meadow made, and 20 or 30 acres more may be made, about 100 acres of upland cleared, and the rest of the land well timbered, and the soil of a good quality, upon which there are erected a large stone-house, of 40 feet in front, and proportionable in depth, two stories high, two other log dwelling-houses, a house lately occupied as a smith's shop, but fit for a Negroe house, or other uses, two barns, with several stables, situate in Baltimore county, in the province of Maryland, on the great road leading from Pipe-creek, Conecocheague, Carlisle, M'Callister's-town, and York to Baltimore, extending for a considerable distance along the same, about 18 miles from Baltimore, adjoining a Place called Rishter's-town, and the land of Daniel Bower; from its situation the owner has a convenient market for every thing raised thereon, at Baltimore, and is equally valuable to carry on any public business, lying most healthfully and beautifully; there is also a fine orchard, of near 300 apple-trees, besides a great number of the finest cherry-trees, excellent both in their variety and goodness, several good springs, and a pump thereon; being the late dwelling plantation of the said deceased; there are about 15 acres of winter grain already sowed thereon, for the conveniency of the purchaser, which will also then be sold; one third part of the money to be paid in hand, and the residue in five equal yearly payments, without interest. Any person inclining to purchase the same, may be informed of the time, by applying to Benedict Swope, near the premises, to Martin Echelberger, Esq; and Frederick Echelberger, near York, to Thomas Hartley, in York, or Robert Alexander, Esq; in Baltimore, with which last mentioned Gentleman the title papers are left; for the inspection, and satisfaction, of any person inclining to purchase the same; to be sold as the estate of the said deceased; at which time and place due attendance will be given, by ELIZABETH HOLTZINGER, MARTIN ECHELBERGER, and FREDERICK ECHELBERGER, Executors of the last will and testament of said deceased.

N. B. Upon payment of one third part of the purchase money, and giving security for the residue, payable as aforesaid, a deed will be executed to the purchaser. ‖5w.14s.

Gloucester County, New-Jersey, Sept. 11, 1772.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber, now living at Haddonfield Mills, intends to carry on the Fulling and Dying Business, in all the different Branches, in as extensive a Manner, and at cheaper Rates than at any other Mill in New-Jersey or Pennsylvania, he having the best of Tools and Presses, and all Conveniences suitable for the same. Those Persons that please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done in the neatest and best Manner, and with the greatest Expedition. Cloth for the Mills, will be taken in by *John Cox*, in Moore's-Town, *Abraham Allen*, in Evesham, and *Robert Murray*, near Woodberry; at which Places Attendance will be given once a Week, the Cloth taken to the Mills, and returned again when dressed, according to Directions, by

§ JAMES M'DOWELL.

WHEREAS in pursuance of an Act of General Assembly of the province of Pennsylvania, intituled, *An Act for granting the sum of Sixty Thousand Pounds to the King's use, and for striking Fifty-five Thousand Pounds thereof in bills of credit, and to provide a fund for sinking the same*, and by three subsequent Acts, for granting to his Majesty the additional sum of £ 300,000, the following tracts of located lands have been duly valued and rated by the Assessors for the county of Lancaster, the property of the persons herein after named. And whereas the owners of the said tracts of land have neglected to pay the Collectors, the several under mentioned sums, which according to the said valuation have been assessed and laid upon said lands, as the proportion thereof for said tax, by the act imposed: We, the Commissioners of the said county of Lancaster aforesaid, in pursuance of said acts, do give notice, that on the 5th day of November next, at the dwelling-house of Adam Reigart, in the Borough of Lancaster, will be exposed to sale by public vendue, the following tracts of located lands, or such part thereof as will be sufficient to answer the said taxes, and all charges, accruing by reason of the non-payment thereof, to the highest bidder. The sale to begin at ten o' clock in the forenoon, and continue from day to day, until the whole be sold. Given under our hands, the 5th day of September, 1772. CASPER SHAFNER, junior, THOMAS CLARK.

Thomas M'Kee, 300 acres, in Upper Paxton township, 2l. 5s. Michael Dibler, 200 acres, in Upper Paxton township, 15s. John Miller, 200 acres, Upper Paxton township, 15s. George Churchman, 600 acres, in Colerain township, 2l. 5s. John Rouse, 100 acres, in Leacock township, 7s. 6d. Henry Young, 75 acres, in Drummore township, 5s. 7d. Jacob Shearman, 100 acres, in Upper Paxton township, 15s. John Myer, 100 acres, in Upper Paxton township, 15s. George Riddle, 100 acres, in Upper Paxton township, 15s. William Stuart, 200 acres, in Upper Paxton township, 1l. 10s. John Sippet, 150 acres, in Upper Paxton township, 1l. 2s. 6d. George Stephenson, 100 acres, in Derry township, 7s. 6d. Elisha Hewes, 300 acres, in Little Britain township, 1l. 4s. ¶ 12s. 6d.

CAME to the plantation of the subscriber, in Plymouth township, Philadelphia county, on the 3d day of this inst. September, a dark roan HORSE, branded F. B. supposed to be 15 years old. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take him away. ALEXANDER COLLEY.

PURSUANT to the last will and testament of JARVIS JAMES, deceased, will be sold, at public VENDUE, on Saturday, the 31st day of October ensuing, on the premises, a large two story frame DWELLING-HOUSE, with a LOT thereunto belonging, together with every necessary convenience, situate in Chester-town, Maryland; it is a remarkable fine situation for the prosecution of any public business, being on the main street leading to the river, and a little above the market place in said town. At the same time will be sold, a very fine GRASS LOT, adjoining the said town. Twelve months credit will be given, with interest, on giving bond and security, if required; an indisputable title will be given the purchaser, by SARAH JAMES, Executrix. ‖14s.

To be SOLD to the highest bidder, in Leesburg, on the 4th Monday in November next, being Loudoun county Court day,

THE LOT and HOUSE wherein I now live, situate in the most public part of the said town, of Leesburg, a corner lot, and the public roads from Frederick county to Alexandria, and from Pennsylvania to Carolina leading thereby; it is conveniently improved, with a brick house two stories high, and all other houses and cellars, suitable for keeping a good tavern, as fine a well of water, with a good pump, as any on the continent; also eight acres of extraordinary good meadow, adjoining the said town, with the conveniency of being well watered by a very constant stream running through it. Twelve months credit will be allowed the purchaser, on giving bond, and approved security, to

August 8, 1772. CRAVEN PEYTON. ‡7s6.

TO be SOLD by the Subscriber, in Baltimore county, in the province of Maryland, 216½ acres of patent LAND, about 30 acres of which are lately cleared, and under good fence, the remainder remarkably well timbered and watered, there being sundry fine springs on the same; the soil is good for tobacco, Indian corn, wheat, rye, or other grain; several acres of fine meadow may be made at small expence; there are two small tenements thereon, and some peach-trees; the said land lies within ten miles of the flourishing town of Baltimore, and on the great road leading thereto. Any person wanting to view the land, may be shewn it, by Mr. William Ede, living near the premises, and for further particulars, enquire of the subscriber, living about two miles from Nottingham Forges, and six miles from Joppa.

Sept. 5, 1772. JOHN HOWLAND. ¶ 10*w.*

Kent County, Maryland, July 8, 1772.

THREE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away on the 20th of last month, from the subscriber, an indented servant man, named WILLIAM VICKERS, born in Talbot county, Maryland, about 40 years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, thin visage, has lost one of his eyes; he is very apt to get drunk, whenever he can get strong liquor; he has been some years a Soldier, in the Royal Americans: Had on, when he went away, a coarse brown jacket, with sleeves, ozenbrigs shirt and trowsers, a felt hat, about half worn, but as he had some money with him, it is thought he has changed his clothes, and his name. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so that the subscriber may get him again, shall have the above reward, and if brought home, reasonable charges, paid by ISAAC PERKINS. §6 W.

Talbot County, Maryland, August 1, 1772.

TWELVE POUNDS Reward.

STOLEN from the subscriber, on Monday night last, a likely BAY HORSE, about 14 hands high, with a star in his forehead, and a little white on one or both his hind feet, a switch tail, a bushy mane and foretop, they having been lately scraped, has been used in a carriage, paces a good travel under the saddle, and from that will go into a gallop, and trots out of hand, he is thin on the withers, and remarkably sharp backed, though in good order. Whoever secures the horse, so that I get him again, shall be paid, if taken in this county, Fifteen Shillings; Thirty Shillings, if in the neighbouring counties; and Three Pounds, if out of the province; and Nine Pounds for apprehending the thief, to be paid on his being convicted of this offence. JAMES LLOYD CHAMBERLAINE. ‖7s6.

To be SOLD, in Orange county, Virginia,

A TRACT, containing 840 acres, of well wooded and watered LAND, suitable for tobacco, or any kind of grain, situated on the branches of Swift Run, and very near the great road that leads from Augusta Court-house, to the towns of Fredericksburg and Falmouth, at the Falls of Rappahannock river, and where a ready market ever may be found for all kinds of country produce; the said land is distant from these towns only 60 miles, and both it and the neighbourhood of it, affords a range for every sort of stock, hardly to be exhausted, as the cattle that use thereon are well known to be as good for beef, or butter, as any in the colony. Any person inclinable to purchase the said land, may apply to Captain WILLIAM BELL, who lives adjoining, and with whom they may contract for the sum of £ 165, ready money; or, the sum of £ 173:5:0 on 12 months credit. The purchaser may have immediate possession, and an indisputable title, conveyed by JOHN ROWZEE, and ROBERT BROOKE, Executors of William Brooke. 4*w.*

PATAPSCO FURNACE, *near* ELK-RIDGE LANDING, *in* ANNE-ARUNDEL COUNTY.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the second Day of November next, containing about Four Thousand Four Hundred ACRES of LAND, in several TRACTS, *viz.*

ONE of 1700 acres, one of 1500, and another on the river side, with a valuable fishery for a seine, containing 466 acres, besides several small tracts, all on or near the river Patapsco. The three large tracts mentioned are situated only about six or eight miles from Baltimore-town, where is a ready-money market, twice a week, for all sorts of provision.

There are on the premises one large PLANTATION, containing about 500 acres, another of 200, with convenient houses, and cleared ground sufficient to make a third Plantation of 400 acres, some grubbing and fencing only wanted; a large quantity of meadow-land; a Furnace built about the year 1760, with a stone and brick bridge, and casting-house; a new grist mill, fit for country work, standing on a fine stream of water, and also a mill seat or situation on navigable water, where has been a mill formerly; its situation is perhaps as pleasant and advantageous, for erecting a large merchant mill on, as any in the province, and lies convenient to all the back country of Elk-ridge, and Frederick county, for the purchase of wheat, the water carriage to Baltimore-town being not more than 10 or 12 miles.

There will likewise be exposed to sale, provided the Lands and Plantations are disposed of, a number of valuable Servants and Negroes, several of which last have been employed in a Furnace, *viz.* one young fellow, a good workman as keeper, others as fillers and assistants to the founder and keeper below, and some used to raising ore, and cutting wood. As also horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, *&c.* with plantation utensils of all kinds, as well as a crop of corn and wheat on the ground.

The whole will be sold together or in parcels, as may best suit the purchasers. Conditions of the purchase to be agreed on the day of sale. For further particulars, enquire of the subscriber, at Baltimore-town, or of JAMES WALKER, near Elk-ridge Landing, who will shew the lands and improvements, to any desirous of seeing them. HARRISON, and COMPANY.

N. B. There is in the neighbourhood, adjacent to the land, a very fine and valuable range for stock. ‖ 9*W.*

Fell's Point, August 27, 1772.

To be SOLD, at public VENDUE (if not before sold at private sale) on Wednesday, the 4th of November next, at the house of Mr. William Douglass, on Fell's Point, the following LOTS or PARCELS of LAND, viz.

ONE lot of ground, on Fell's Point, 40 feet front on Thames-street (with a very good wharff) whereon is built a very large and commodious brick house, 3 stories high, compleatly finished.

One other lot of ground, 40 feet front on said street, and adjoining to said house.

One other lot of ground, 23 feet front on said street, and also adjoining to said house.

Also ten acres of land, adjoining to Baltimore-town; a remarkable pleasant situation, being a hill, that affords a beautiful prospect of both town and point, and has great appearance of iron ore in it.

The abovementioned lots, and ten acres of land, are free from groundrent, and the title to the whole is indisputable. Any person inclinable to purchase any of the abovementioned lots, or ten acres of land, before the day of sale, may know the terms, by applying to Thomas Bond, son of John, or to the subscriber. ¶ JOHN BOND.

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER, living in Frederick county, Maryland,

A Valuable TRACT of LAND, containing about 1700 acres, lying on Conecocheague creek, about 80 miles from Baltimore, 30 miles from Frederick-town, and 6 miles from Huger's-town. There are several good improvements on the said tract, on one of which the subscriber now lives, whereon is a good new stone dwelling-house, new stone kitchen, good new grist-mill and saw-mill (the mill-houses built of stone) an extraordinary good orchard, that produces 60 hogsheads of cyder yearly, there are already 80 acres of good meadow made, and in very good order, and 200 more may easily be made, about 200 acres of upland cleared on the said plantation, it lies in a populous part of the country, and is well situated for any public business; the land is well known, and needs little to recommend it; the soil is rich, well watered with springs, and extremely well timbered; it commands a beautiful prospect of Conecocheague creek, being nearly surrounded by it; it is well situated to divide in 4 or 5 plantations. Terms of sale may be known, by applying to the subscriber, who will give an indisputable title to the purchaser, free from any incumbrance, with the quitrents paid up to the day of sale. ISAAC BAKER. ‖8w.

VIRGINIA, July 15, 1772.

THE subscribers hereby give notice, that they have to dispose of TWO TRACTS of LAND, lying nearly contiguous, in the county of Culpepper, on Stanton river, containing about 3200 acres; part whereof is level, and part mountainous; and a considerable part is as rich as any to be found among the Great Mountains. On one of the said tracts of land there is a rich mine of iron ore, which, in the opinion of good judges, has an uncommon advantage in its situation, on account of these essential articles wood and water, and almost every other necessary for erecting and supporting iron works.

On the other tract of land there is a small though valuable Grist-mill, to which the water is conveyed from the river by a canal. The said Mill has lately been rebuilt, and is kept in repair with very little trouble or expence, being quite out of danger from any freshes. There is also a new dwelling-house, 32 feet by 18, and sundry other houses.

There are plantations on each tract, suitable for either farming or planting, and good apple-orchards on both. There is a good waggon road from the said land to Fredericksburg and Falmouth, the nearest trading towns on Rappahannock river, being about 65 miles. Any persons inclinable to purchase are desired to apply to the subscribers, in Spotsylvania county, who will shew them the land, and make known the terms, which will be reasonable; they live within 25 miles of Fredericksburg, where directions may be had of Mr. James Maury, Merchant, or Mr. Benjamin Johnson. JOHN LEWIS. ¶8W. WALLER LEWIS.

Chester-Town, Maryland, August 18, 1772.

RUN away from the subscribers, living in Chester-Town, on the 16th instant, two servant men, viz. WILLIAM FAGAN, born in Ireland, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, of a fair complexion, dark brown hair, tied behind, full smooth face, has a mole on his upper lip, and is a Taylor by trade; had on, and took with him, a blue broadcloth coat, with yellow buttons, a scarlet lappelled jacket, with buttons of the same, brown holland breeches, broad chequered trowsers, and sundry other cloaths. ROBERT CAMPBELL, born in the north of Ireland, about 5 feet 10 inches high, of a dark complexion, short black hair, has a tolerable education, and will probably forge a pass; he is also a Taylor by trade; had on a raven grey cloth coat, short jacket, ticken breeches, and new shoes, with silver buckles, marked I. S. Whoever apprehends the said servants, so that their masters may have them again, shall receive SIX POUNDS reward, if taken within this province; if out of the province, TEN POUNDS, and all reasonable charges, paid by EDWARD SCANLAN, and CHARLES ALLEN. § 7s6.

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IN conſequence of the generous and unſolicited engagement of Mr. WILLIAM PETERS, of Aſton, in the county of Cheſter, for the payment of the ſum of Two Hundred Pounds, to be applied to the diſcharge of certain debts, due from his ſon William Peters, then of Lancaſter county: Public notice is hereby given, that a dividend of the abovementioned ſpirited donation, together with what can be collected, from the books of Peters, the younger, will be made by his aſſignees, on the 6th of October, amongſt thoſe of his creditors who have given in their demands, legally proved, agreeable to an advertiſement ſometime ago publiſhed.---It is hoped, that all perſons indebted to William Peters, junior, will immediately pay their reſpective balances to the ſubſcriber, or they will be proceeded againſt agreeable to law.

5 W. JOHN COX, junior.

IN PURSUANCE of an Order of Orphan's Court, on Friday, the 25th day of September inſtant, will be expoſed to ſale, by public vendue, at the houſe of James Alexander, in Third-ſtreet, a certain double wooden meſſuage, or tenement, ſtable, and lot of ground, thereunto belonging, ſituate on the north ſide of Spruce-ſtreet, between Fifth and Sixth-ſtreets from Delaware, containing in breadth, on Spruce-ſtreet, 32½ feet, and in length, or depth, 94½ feet; ſubject to a groundrent of £4:17:6 currency; late the real eſtate of Jacob Horner, deceaſed. The ſale to begin at ſix o'clock in the evening. Attendance will be given, at the time and place of ſale, by

JACOB VANREAD, Adminiſtrator.

N. B. The ſtable is large enough to contain five horſes, and has a ſuitable hay-loft; and the houſe is inſured in the ſum of Sixty Pounds, for near a year to come. The money to be paid on delivery of the deed. *Philad. Sept.* 5, 1772. ¶

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on Wedneſday, the 30th of September inſt. at 7 o'clock in the evening, at the houſe of Mr. William Hick, the ſign of the College, in Princetown, being the day of the annual Commencement at Naſſau-hall,

A VERY valuable plantation, ſituated within one mile of Princetown College, containing 116 acres, 25 whereof is good meadow, and 11 acres of choice woodland; there is on ſaid plantation a new and elegant dwelling-houſe, which, with the other buildings, are 70 feet front, and 30 feet deep; an extraordinary good barn, 40 feet ſquare; a fine ſpring and milk-houſe, within a few yards of the manſion-houſe; a large pailed garden, and good bearing orchard. Conditions will be made known, and attendance given, at the time and place of ſale, by

WILLIAM COATS.

N. B. Any perſon inclining to view the premiſes, are deſired to apply to Mr. William Hick, or Mr. Joſeph Horner, at Princetown. *Auguſt* 18. ‖ 5 w.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 23d of September inſt. at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, Philadelphia,

A CERTAIN tract of good LAND, containing 18 acres and 23 perches, with a good two ſtory brick houſe, two ſmall brick out-houſes or offices, a good barn, ſtable and coach-houſe, a good large garden and orchard; the place is generally called Monckton Hall, ſituated in Poplar Lane, in the Northern Liberties, within two miles of this city, finely ſituated for a gentleman's country ſeat; a plan to be ſeen at ſaid Coffee-houſe, at the Indian King, and Queen. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſame by private ſale, may know the terms, by applying to MICHAEL GRATZ, in Fourth-ſtreet, Philadelphia.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, on Monday, the 5th day of October next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and to be ſtruck off preciſely at 5, at the houſe of Matthias Lukens, at the Falls of Schuylkill, a certain meſſuage, or tenement, and tract or piece of land, ſituate in Blockley township, containing one acre three quarters and twenty perches, bounded by the river Schuylkill, and by lands late of Robert Roberts, Lawrence Garrett, and others; alſo a certain other tract, or piece of ground, ſituate in Blockley township aforeſaid, containing by computation 15 acres and 154 perches, bounded by lands of Ann Garrett, John Garrett, Lawrence Garrett, and others; alſo the reſidue of a term of 99 years, of a certain other piece of land, ſituate in Blockley township aforeſaid, adjacent to the firſt deſcribed tract, containing 28¾ acres, bounded by the river Schuylkill, and by the firſt above deſcribed tract (excepting 1 acre of the laſt mentioned piece, leaſed to Robert Roberts) late the eſtate of William Denny, Eſq; deceaſed; ſeized and taken in Execution by JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, on Tueſday, the 6th of October next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, a certain meſſuage, or tenement, and lot of ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark, containing in breadth 12½ feet, and in length or depth about 15 feet, bounded by Vernon-ſtreet, Shippen-ſtreet, and by ground of Zachariah Nieman, and others; alſo a certain meſſuage, or tenement, and two lots of ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark aforeſaid, one of them containing in breadth 15 feet, and in depth 15 feet, bounded by Vernon-ſtreet aforeſaid, and by ground of Robert Carr, William Dickinſon, and others; the other of them, containing in breadth 8 feet, and in depth 15 feet, bounded by Vernon-ſtreet aforeſaid, and by ground of Zachariah Nieman, William Dickinſon, and others; late the eſtate of John Dennis, ſeized and taken in execution by

JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE, on the premiſes, on the 15th day of October next, by the ſubſcriber,

A PLANTATION, lying near the ſign of the Boot, in Goſhen township, Cheſter county, Pennſylvania, containing 114 acres of good land, be the ſame more or leſs, with the uſual allowance for roads, about 80 acres thereof are cleared, and the woodland well timbered, about 20 acres of meadow made, ſome part of which is well watered, and water in every field, a good young bearing orchard, of about 150 trees, of good fruit; thereon is a good brick dwelling-houſe, 30 feet by 20, two ſtories high, and a cellar under the whole, with a good well of excellent water at the door, a good ſpring-houſe, barn, ſtables, ſheds, and other out-houſes. Likewiſe a lot of ground, adjoining the ſaid plantation, containing 50 acres of good land, about 12 acres thereof cleared, and the woodland well timbered, about 4 acres of extraordinary meadow made, a good young bearing orchard; thereon are two good log dwelling-houſes, with ſtone gable-ends, both cellared under, and a well of good water near each door, alſo a ſmith and wheelwright's ſhop; the great road leading from Lancaſter and the Iron-works to Cheſter, goes through it. The titles are indiſputable, and the terms of ſale will be made known, on the day aforeſaid, by AMOS DAVIS. §

N. B. The quitrent on all the aforeſaid land is but One Shilling ſterling per Hundred. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the premiſes, may view the ſame before the day of ſale, and enter thereon the firſt of April next.

To the FREEHOLDERS and ELECTORS of the County of BUCKS.

GENTLEMEN,

THE Confidence you have been pleaſed to repoſe in me, by chuſing me one of your Repreſentatives, for ſeveral Years paſt, deſerves my ſincere Acknowledgments; but as it will not ſuit me to attend any longer, I requeſt you to chuſe ſome other Perſon to repreſent you in my Stead, and you will thereby much oblige, Your Friend, JOSEPH WATSON. ¶

To the FREEHOLDERS, and other ELECTORS, for the County of BUCKS.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my ſincere Thanks for the Honour you have done me, in chooſing me one of your Repreſentatives in Aſſembly, for ſeveral Years paſt; and now deſire you would, at the enſuing Election, chooſe ſome other Perſon to ſerve in my Room, by which you will much oblige your real Friend,

¶ BENJAMIN CHAPMAN.

To the FREEMEN of the City of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I AM much obliged to you for the Mark of your Confidence, in chuſing me one of your Repreſentatives in Aſſembly laſt Year; my Acceptance of the Office, at that Time, was rather determined by my Reſpect to you, than my own Judgment; and as my Continuance in it will be not only againſt my Inclination, but extreamly inconvenient to me; I muſt deſire you will chuſe, at the enſuing Election, ſome Perſon to repreſent you, in Stead of, Your moſt reſpectful Friend,

SAMUEL SHOEMAKER.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and ELECTORS, for the City and County of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I HAVE ever thought it my Duty to ſerve the Public to the beſt of my Knowledge and Judgment, when my private Affairs admitted of it; but as that is not the Caſe now, I muſt again earneſtly entreat you, at the next General Election, not to chooſe me for one of your Repreſentatives in Aſſembly. I am, with the higheſt Sentiments of Gratitude, for the Confidence already placed in me, the Public's ſincere Friend,

¶ ROWLAND EVANS.

To the FREEMEN, ELECTORS of the City and County of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I AM much obliged to you for the good Opinion you have entertained of me, in chooſing me one of your Repreſentatives. Nevertheleſs, I muſt again repeat my laſt Year's Requeſt, and deſire you will, at the enſuing Election, chooſe ſome other Perſon to repreſent you in my Stead: The weighty Affairs of that important Truſt, being not only very injurious to my own private Buſineſs, but ſo prejudicial to my Health, that I can by no Means ſerve. THOMAS LIVEZEY.

To the FREEHOLDERS and ELECTORS of the Borough and County of LANCASTER.

GENTLEMEN,

I BEG Leave to remind you of my Requeſt on the Occaſion laſt Year, to be excuſed from ſerving in the Aſſembly any longer; I now expect, and again requeſt, you will grant me the Favour, by chooſing ſome other Perſon in my Room at next Election. I am, with due Regard, *Your reſpectful Friend*,

‡ EMANUEL CARPENTER.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and ELECTORS, of the Borough and County of CHESTER.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my ſincere Thanks for your favourable Opinion, in thinking me worthy of a Seat in your Houſe of Aſſembly, for theſe ſeveral Years paſt. Laſt Year I deſired you to excuſe me from ſerving you in that Office; and, as I find myſelf in a declining State of Health, cannot think of ſerving longer in Aſſembly; I beg you will be ſo kind as to chuſe, at the enſuing Election, ſome Perſon, to repreſent you, in Stead of

Your obliged Friend, JOHN CROSBY, §

To the FREEHOLDERS, and other ELECTORS, of the County of BERKS.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my moſt ſincere thanks for the honour conferred upon me, by returning me, for ſeveral years paſt, a Repreſentative in Aſſembly: But, as a proper attendance, on that important duty, very much interferes with my private buſineſs, I muſt beg of you to chooſe, at the next election, ſome other perſon to repreſent you in my ſtead. I have thought proper to make my reſolution public before Auguſt court, as at that time it has been uſual to fix on a ticket. I am, Gentlemen, with great eſteem and regard, your ſincere friend, and humble ſervant, EDWARD BIDDLE.

To the FREEHOLDERS and others, ELECTORS of the City and County of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my ſincere Thanks for your Favours, ſhewn me the two laſt Elections, in chuſing me Sheriff for the City and County aforeſaid. A further Continuance of your Favours, at the enſuing Election, in chuſing me again to that Office, ſhall always be gratefully acknowledged by, Gentlemen,

Your Friend and humble Servant,

Auguſt 24, 1772. JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and other ELECTORS, of the City and County of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED (by the favourable Opinion you have heretofore had of me, by voting me into the ſeveral Offices of Warden, County Commiſſioner, and Manager of the Houſe of Employment) I at this Time humbly beg the Favour of your Votes and Intereſt for the Sheriff's Office, when Mr. Judah Foulke's Time, the preſent Officer, ſhall by Law expire; and your Favours therein, will very much oblige, GENTLEMEN,

Your Friend and Servant, ENOCH STORY.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and others, ELECTORS, for the City and County of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my moſt ſincere Thanks for your paſt Favours, and as I intend to ſtand a Candidate for the Sheriff's Office, when the preſent Sheriff's Time ſhall by Law expire, I do now requeſt the Favour of your Votes and Intereſt, which will much oblige your Friend, and humble Servant,

JOSEPH REDMAN.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and others, ELECTORS of the City and County of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I HAVE formerly ſolicited your Votes and Intereſt for the Sheriff's Office, in the City and County of Philadelphia; for the Favours I then received, I return my ſincere Thanks.---I now ſet myſelf up as a Candidate for that Office, and humbly ſolicit, that, at the enſuing Election, you will vote for me with Mr. Judah Foulke, now Sheriff, that after the next Year of his Sheriffalty, I may have your Intereſt to ſucceed him in ſaid Office, which Favours will be gratefully acknowledged, by

Your ſincere Friend, and humble Servant,

Philadelphia, Sept. 2, 1772. WILLIAM DEWEES.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and others, ELECTORS for the City and County of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my ſincere Acknowledgments for the Honour done me, in chooſing me one of your Aſſeſſors for ſeveral Years paſt; but as a longer Continuance in that Station would be inconvenient to me, I requeſt the Favour of you to chooſe ſome other Perſon, at the enſuing Election, to ſerve you in Stead of, *Your ſincere Friend*, ABRAHAM LUKENS. ¶

To the FREEHOLDERS, and others, ELECTORS for the City and County of PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my hearty Thanks for the Honour you did me the laſt Year, in voting me on the Return for Coroners, and as I intend to ſtand a Candidate for the ſaid Office, at the enſuing Election, I beg the Favour of your Votes and Intereſt, which ſhall be gratefully acknowledged by, GENTLEMEN,

Your obliged Friend, and humble Servant,

CALEB CASH, Coroner.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and ELECTORS, for the Borough and County of CHESTER.

GENTLEMEN,

I THANK you for your Favours paſt, and ſhall be further obliged to you for the Continuance of your Votes and Intereſt, at the enſuing Election, for the Coroner's Office; which ſhall be gratefully acknowledged, by Your humble Servant,

§ JOHN CROSBY, junior, Coroner.

To the FREEHOLDERS and others, ELECTORS in and for the County and Borough of CHESTER.

ESTEEMED FRIENDS,

I STAND a Candidate for the Sheriff's Office, and requeſt the Favour of your Votes and Intereſt, at the enſuing Election, for the ſame; which Favour ſhall be gratefully acknowledged, and kept in remembrance, by *Your ſincere Friend*,

Auguſt 31, 1772. NATHANIEL VERNON. ‖

To the FREEHOLDERS, and others, ELECTORS for the County of CHESTER.

GENTLEMEN,

I HAVE ventured to enter the Liſt with the other Candidates for the Sheriff's Office; I now publicly requeſt your favourable Acceptation of my Propoſal, and that you would be pleaſed to give me your Votes and Intereſt at the enſuing Election, which, whether I ſucceed or not, ſhall be gratefully acknowledged by

Weſt-Nantmill, Your aſſured Friend,

Auguſt 28, 1772. ¶ WILLIAM GIBBONS.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and others, ELECTORS in and for the Borough and County of CHESTER.

GENTLEMEN,

AS I purpoſe to offer myſelf a Candidate for the Sheriff's Office, at the enſuing General Election, I humbly requeſt the Favour of your Votes and Intereſt for ſaid Office, which Favour ſhall be had in Memory, and gratefully acknowledged, by

Your aſſured Friend,

Auguſt 19, 1772. ELISHA JONES. ‖ 6 w.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and others, ELECTORS in and for the Borough and County of CHESTER.

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by the Succeſs I have met with, in being voted on the Return for Sheriffs theſe three Years paſt, I once more offer myſelf a Candidate for that Office, with Deſires and Expectations of your friendly and ready Aſſiſtance at the enſuing Election, which Favour, as well as thoſe paſt, ſhall be gratefully acknowledged and remembered by

The Public's ſincere Friend, HENRY HAYES. ¶

To the FREEHOLDERS, and other ELECTORS, for the County and Borough of CHESTER.

GENTLEMEN,

I STAND a Candidate for the Sheriff's Office, for which Purpoſe, I humbly requeſt the Favour of your Votes and Intereſt, at the enſuing Election; which Favour ſhall be gratefully accepted, and thankfully remembered, by *Your ſincere Friend*,

§ JOSEPH GIBBONS, junior.

To the FREEHOLDERS, and others, ELECTORS for the Borough and County of CHESTER.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my ſincere Acknowledgments for the Honour done me, in chooſing me one of your Aſſeſſors theſe three Years paſt; but, as a longer Continuance in that Station would be very inconvenient to me, I requeſt the Favour of you to chooſe ſome other Perſon, at the enſuing Election, to ſerve in ſtead of, Your ſincere Friend,

Newgarden, Aug. 31, 1772. ‖ SAMUEL MILLER.

To be SOLD, by PUBLIC VENDUE, on the Premiſes, the Fifth of October next, at One o' Clock in the Afternoon,

THAT valuable FARM, whereon Thomas Barnſley, Eſq; deceaſed, did live (ſold purſuant to the directions of his laſt will and teſtament) ſituate in the township of Benſalem, and county of Bucks, at the head of the tide water, on Neſhaminy creek, 18 miles from Philadelphia, and about ¼ of a mile from Rodman's landing, on ſaid creek, where flour, wood, &c. are tranſported to Philadelphia, containing about 560 acres of excellent land, about one half cleared, and in good fence, near 60 acres of which are extraordinary good meadow, lately drained, and more may be made; the other half is fine timbered land; there is erected on ſaid farm, a new genteel houſe, of brick and ſtone, 56½ feet by 44, with a 13 feet entry through the whole, a black walnut ſtair-caſe, 4 rooms on the lower floor, 6 rooms on the ſecond floor, and 3 garrets, all well finiſhed off, and painted laſt ſummer, extraordinary cellars under the houſe, alſo two large kitchens, and ſtore-houſe, with a cellar under the ſtore-houſe, piazzas in the front of ſaid kitchens, chambers over the ſame for ſervants, and a well of good water at the kitchen door, a carpenter's ſhop, a brick ſmoke-houſe, 16½ feet ſquare, ſpring-houſe, with a flax and wool-houſe over it, two barns, one 66 feet by 33, a threſhing floor in the middle, and bays on each ſide, and good floors in them, and a granary over the threſhing floor; the other a ſmall barn, a threſhing floor and cow-houſes on each ſide, good ſtables ſufficient to hold 30 horſes, and loſts over them for hay, well floored, a commodious ſhed, coach-houſe and poultry-houſe, 4 compleat barracks, ſtanding on ſills, with cedar tops, made laſt ſummer, two orchards, one an old one of natural fruit, the other a young one, of 300 bearing trees, of the beſt grafted fruit; alſo is erected in one corner of the farm, a good ſquare log-houſe, ſuitable for a tradeſman. Attendance will be given by WILLIAM RODMAN, and GILBERT HICKS, Executors.

To be SOLD, or LET,

A PLANTATION, ſituate in Waterford township, Glouceſter county, Weſt New-Jerſey, about ſix miles from Philadelphia, containing 250 acres, one half cleared, the reſt well timbered, bounded by Penſhawkin creek, about a mile above the Bridge, and by land of Joſeph Armſtrong, the Widow Hoſier, and others, there is on the place a good ſtone houſe, two ſtories high, two rooms on a floor, a ſtone kitchen, and a well of good water at the door, 11 acres of drained meadow, and as many more may be made, a frame barn, and ſtables, an orchard of 200 apple-trees, and other fruit trees; it is very convenient to mill and market. Time will be given for the payment of one half the purchaſe money; for further particulars, enquire of Mr. SAMUEL COOPER, at the Ferry, or of ROBERT TOWERS, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia. ‡

TO BE DISPOSED OF,

THE Time of an ENGLISH SERVANT GIRL, about 15 Years of Age, who has three Years and an Half to ſerve. She is very capable for all Kinds of Houſe-work, and will ſuit for either Town or Country. Enquire of the Printers.

Just published, and to be sold by HALL *and* SELLERS, *at the New Printing-Office, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia,*

POOR RICHARD's ALMANACK, for the Year 1773; containing, beſides the uſual aſtronomical Obſervations, The viſible Eclipſes of the Satellites of Jupiter.---The four Quarters of the Year.---Sowing Wheat-ſeed unprepared, much more beneficial than uſing prepared Seed; An experienced Method of ſowing Clover on Barley, recommended to the Notice of Farmers; Manner of judging when Barley is fit to mow; Way of preventing Wheat Crops, ſowed on dunged Land, from being over-run with Weeds; Benefit of harrowing a foul Crop of Turnips; Eaſy Method of increaſing the Milk of Cows; Uſeful Directions in Regard to Peach Trees, to make them bear fine Fruit.---The Requiſites neceſſary to render the Married State happy,----An Antidote againſt miſpending Time.----Excellent Proof of Wiſdom.---A valuable Secret communicated.---A moſt important Leſſon.---Receipts from ſome of the moſt eminent Phyſicians.---Cures for Diſorders in Horſes; and for Diſeaſes in Cattle.---Anecdotes---Jeſts---Epigrams---Wiſe Sayings---Tables of Intereſt, at ſix and ſeven per Cent. Friends Yearly Meetings, Courts, Fairs, Roads, &c. &c.

The BURLINGTON ALMANACK, for the year of our Lord 1773, is juſt publiſhed, and to be ſold by ISAAC COLLINS, at his Printing-office, in Burlington; containing, beſides the uſual aſtronomical calculations, the following entertaining and uſeful matter, in proſe and verſe, viz.

A LETTER from Lentulus, Governor of Jeruſalem, to the Senate and people of Rome; giving a deſcription of the perſon of CHRIST.---A letter from Pontius Pilate to the Emperor Tiberius; acquainting him with the life, miracles, death and reſurrection of JESUS CHRIST.---On lownging.---On reputation. Dr. Franklin's propoſal for ſafety in a thunder guſt.---An account of the extraordinary ſalt mines, at Wiliſka, in Poland, about 5 leagues from Cracow.---Of a regimen of health, and of temperance and ſobriety.----On converſation:---Peace:---Duty. The character of a Rake, by a Lady.---On pride:---Divine love: Advice:---Law.---A table of intereſt, at 6 and 7 per cent.---A tide table, ſhewing the time of high water at Boſton, R. Iſland, Tarpauling Cove, New-London, New-York, Elizabeth-Town Point, Amboy, Cape-Henlopen and Reedy-Iſland.---A liſt of his Majeſty's Council of New-Jerſey.---Liſt of the Houſe of Repreſentatives of New-Jerſey:---Of the Officers of the Court of Chancery in New-Jerſey:---Of the Sheriffs of New-Jerſey.---A table of the value and weight of coins: Time of holding fairs: Time of holding the Courts of Chancery in New-Jerſey; and the Supreme, and other Courts in this and the adjacent provinces: The ſtated meetings of the eaſtern and weſtern Councils of Proprietors: Quakers general meetings: Diſtances on poſt roads, &c. Recipe for the heaves or windbrokenneſs in horſes----For a ſore throat----To make plate look like new----For the bloody flux---For a violent cough or cold---For the rheumatiſm---A diet drink to clear and cool the blood, and correct ſharp humours----For the pleuriſy----For the itch-----To make eye-water-----To prevent corns---To cure corns---To make cyder vinegar---To kill rats---To keep iron from ruſt---To deſtroy bugs, &c. &c.

THIS is to give Notice to all the Employers of JOSEPH READ, Meſſenger between Philadelphia and Nottingham, that he is abſolutely determined to quit riding, on the 30th of this inſtant September; owing to the bad encouragement (he is ſorry to ſay) he has met with, he cannot poſſibly continue it longer; he therefore requeſts all who are in arrears to him would diſcharge the ſame, and that thoſe to whom he is indebted would render him their accounts, that they may be ſettled.

WHEREAS in purſuance of an Act of General Aſſembly of this province, intituled, *An Act for granting the ſum of Sixty Thouſand Pounds to the King's uſe, and for ſtriking Fifty-five Thouſand Pounds thereof in bills of credit, and to provide a fund for ſinking the ſame,* the following tracts of located and unimproved land were duly valued and rated by the Aſſeſſors for the county of Northampton, as follows; a tract of land, containing 700 acres, in Mount Bethel townſhip, in the county of Northampton, formerly belonging to William Craig, deceaſed, aujoining William Beard, rated at Five Pounds per hundred. A tract of 100 acres, in the ſame townſhip, in the county aforeſaid, rated at Five Pounds the hundred. A tract of 400 acres, in Penn townſhip, in the county aforeſaid, rated at Five Pounds per hundred, adjoining the lands of Nicholas Waln, Eſq; James Boon, and Samuel Rhoads, the property of William Logan, Eſq; of the city of Philadelphia. Another tract of 300 acres, in Lower Smithfield townſhip, rated at Five Pounds per hundred, for which tract Richard Freeman has paid the tax ſeveral years, but now the ſaid William Logan, Eſq; claims the right of the ſaid tract of land. And whereas the owners of the aforeſaid tracts of land have neglected and refuſed to pay the Collector, the ſum of Five Pounds Twelve Shillings and Six-pence, which according to the ſaid valuation was aſſeſſed and laid upon ſaid lands, as the proportion thereof for one year for ſaid tax, by the ſaid act impoſed: We, the Commiſſioners, of the county of Northampton aforeſaid, in purſuance of the aforeſaid act, do hereby give notice, that on the 8th day of December next, at the houſe of Jacob Emrich, in Mount Bethel townſhip, the two tracts; and on the 9th day of December next, the tract in Lower Smithfield townſhip, at the houſe of Jacob Stroud, in the ſaid townſhip; and the tract in Penn townſhip, on the 10th day of December next, at the houſe of John Everitt, we will expoſe to ſale, by public vendue, the abovementioned tracts of located and unimproved lands, or ſuch part thereof as will be ſufficient to anſwer ſaid tax, and all charges accruing by reaſon of the non-payment or refuſal thereof, to the higheſt bidder. The ſale to begin at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Given under our hands, at Eaſton, this 7th day of September, 1772. JACOB MORRY, SIMON DRIESBACH, HENRY BARNET. ¶3*M.*

Manufactured by JOHN ZANE, at TRENTON,
Of the moſt approved IRON, and now on Hand, to be diſpoſed of by JOHN PEMBERTON, in Philadelphia,

A QUANTITY of STEEL, ſuppoſed to exceed former Parcels in Goodneſs. Merchants, Shopkeepers or others, may be ſupplied on moderate Terms; and any that ſhould not prove, on Trial, equal to Expectation, will be received back, and the Money returned. There is ſome neatly drawn for Springs to Carriages, in thin Plates, which will ſave the Smiths much Labour; alſo for Mill and Croſs-cut Saws. Likewiſe for Sale, Chambers for Pumps, Iron Kettles, Bake-Irons, Cart, Waggon, and Chaiſe-boxes. ‖

Philadelphia, September 4, 1772.

RUN away, on Thurſday, the 25th of June laſt, from on board the brig Morning-ſtar, Thomas Callender, maſter, an apprentice lad, named WILLIAM OWENS, about 16 years of age, born in Maryland, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, thin viſage. Whoever brings him to his ſaid maſter, ſhall have a reward of FIVE SHILLINGS, and no other charges.
‡ THOMAS CALLENDER.

FORTY SHILLINGS Reward.

RAN away, on the 31ſt of the Eighth Month (called Auguſt) laſt, from the ſubſcriber, living in Eaſt-Caln townſhip, Cheſter county, an Engliſh ſervant lad, named THOMAS HARRIS, about 20 years of age, about five feet five inches high, has light coloured hair, and a pale complexion: Had on, when he went away, a home-ſpun ſhirt, a grey ſerge double breaſted jacket, lined with white flannel, a pair of ſtriped linen trowſers, a pair of ſtrong half worn ſhoes, the ſoals remarkably full of pegs, and a good felt hat. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and delivers him to his maſter, or ſecures him in any goal within this province, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by † ROBERT VALENTINE.

Juſt imported, and to be ſold, by
FRANCIS CASPAR HASSENCLEVER,
At his ſtore, in Second-ſtreet, midway of Arch and Race-ſtreets, Philadelphia,

A VERY large and general aſſortment of ſuperfine, fine, middling, and coarſe, warranted BOULTING-CLOTHS; where ſtorekeepers and millers in the country, may be ſupplied, at as low a rate as ever any has been ſold in this city; he receives them from the manufactory, conſequently can give them a great deal cheaper than any other merchant; he engages that if the cloths ſhould not turn out according to expectation, to exchange them, or return the money. ‖ 5 *w.*

TO BE SOLD,

A BRICK MESSUAGE, ſituated on the weſt ſide of Second-ſtreet, near the corner of Walnut-ſtreet, now in the tenure of Meſſieurs Duffield and Dulany. The houſe has been uſed as a Druggiſt's ſhop for ſeveral years, and has a good opening upon Walnut-ſtreet. The purchaſer, on paying down one third of the purchaſe money, may have a reaſonable time for the payment of the remainder, giving ſufficient ſecurity, with intereſt. For terms, apply to SAMUEL POWEL. 6*w.*

To be SOLD by
THOMAS LAKE,
In Second-ſtreet, near the New Market,

A FEW Barrels of IRISH BEEF, and a few Hogſheads of JAMAICA SUGAR. †

KITE-FOOT TOBACCO,
Of an excellent Quality, equal to any imported from EUROPE,
MANUFACTURED and SOLD by
HAMILTON and LEIPER,
In Second-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets.
A Sample of the TOBACCO may be ſeen at the Bar of the London Coffee-Houſe. ‖ *Philad. Sept.* 8, 1772.

CAME *to the plantations of the ſubſcribers, living in Cheltenham townſhip, Philadelphia county, three ſtray creatures; the one of them a light grey HORSE, about* 14½ *hands high, ſhod before; one other of them a black HORSE, about* 14½ *hands high, with a blaze in his face, ſhod all round; and, the third of them a grey MARE, about* 13 *hands high, ſhod before. The owner is deſired to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take them away.*

JACOB LEECH,
Auguſt 28, 1772. ‖ WILLIAM SHOEMAKER.

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

RUN AWAY *the 8th day of May laſt, from the ſubſcriber, living in Eaſt Pennſborough, Cumberland county, an Iriſh ſervant man, named JOHN GREEN, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, with ſhort red buſhy hair, cut on the top of his head, a reddiſh complexion, ſour look, and a ſcar on the right ſide of his head, near the crown; his cloathing uncertain, as he has been ſince ſeen with different clothes; he kept ſome time at Mr. Grubb's Furnace, privately with his wood-cutters; is an artful fellow, a good ſcholar, a great rogue, much given to ſtrong drink, and may forge a paſs; he formerly lived with Mr. Humphreys, at the Middle Ferry, on Schuylkill, and has been ſome time at ſea, and may perhaps try to get on board ſome veſſel again, therefore all maſters of veſſels are requeſted to apprehend ſaid ſervant, and not to carry him off. Whoever ſecures ſaid ſervant, and brings him to the owner, ſhall have the above reward; or Three Pounds, and reaſonable charges, if ſecured in any of his Majeſty's goals, ſo that the owner may have him again, paid by*

Sept. 2, 1772. WILLIAM KELSO.

*** *All owners and managers of furnaces and forges, are requeſted to apprehend ſaid ſervant.* ‡

ROBERT CORREY, junior,
In THIRD-STREET, near MARKET-STREET,

MAKES and ſells all ſorts of Leather BREECHES, viz. Buck, Doe and Lambſkin, in the neateſt and moſt faſhionable manner. Such Gentlemen as pleaſe to favour him with their cuſtom, may depend on being well uſed. He hopes, that thoſe Gentlemen who lately favoured his father with their cuſtom, will continue their commands, which ſhall be thankfully received, and carefully executed.

N. B. Any Gentleman that may want neat Buckſkin Gloves, or a quantity of Breeches or Skins, may depend on being ſupplied on the moſt reaſonable terms. §

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE *PLANTATION, ſituate in Norrington townſhip, Philadelphia county, containing* 216½ *acres, old meaſure, fronting Schuylkill* 200 *perches, whereon is a good ſhad fiſhery, there are about* 90 *acres cleared, the reſt is well timbered, ſome meadow is made, and more may be made; there is on ſaid plantation a ſtone houſe, ſtone barn and ſpring-houſe, with a never failing ſpring of water, a ſtone waggon-houſe and ſmoke-houſe, and other log-houſes very convenient, a good bearing orchard, and water in moſt of the fields, for benefit of the cattle; the whole in good repair; the title indiſputable. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the ſame, may apply to the ſubſcriber, living on the premiſes.* ARCHIBALD THOMSON, *ſenior.* †

WANTS a PLACE,

A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN, to teach two or three Children in a private Family; ſhe teaches grammatically, and with great Perſpicuity. She will learn them likewiſe plain Work and Marking. If the Friends want ſuch a Perſon, it might ſuit, as ſhe has been ſome Time with them. For further Particulars, enquire of the PRINTERS. †

SIX DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away on the 26th of Auguſt laſt, from the ſubſcriber, living in Leacock townſhip, Lancaſter county, an indented ſervant man, named CORMICK M'NAME, about 28 years of age, about 5 feet 5 inches high, of a ſwarthy complexion, with thiniſh black hair, and ſomewhat curly; had on a good wool hat, a half-worn blue jacket, without ſleeves, and the back parts of ſtriped lincey, blue and white; good ſhirt, tow trowſers, and half-worn ſhoes, with thongs in them; lived a year in Weſt-Caln townſhip, Cheſter county, and ſerved 1 year and 9 months with Peter Elliot, in Kingſeſs; followed ſhalloping ſome time before he was a ſervant; was ſeen in Cheſter, and ſuppoſed to be gone on board a man of war near Cheſter; all maſters of veſſels are forbid to carry him off at their peril. Whoever will ſecure him in any goal, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me
‡ JAMES HAMILTON.

TO BE LETT,

A *Noted* TAVERN, *in Strawberry-Alley, with a large convenient ſtable in the yard, that runs from the houſe, and fronts Elbow-Lane, all under good repair, it was formerly kept by* Peter Sutter, *deceaſed, and now by his widow, who intends to leave it, as ſoon as taken. A number of reputable people, from the country, have uſed it for ſeveral years paſt, and of market days in particular; and with good uſage from the perſon who takes the houſe, the uſual cuſtomers may be kept. Any perſon that inclines to take the above deſcribed houſe, &c. may know the terms, by applying to the ſubſcriber, in the ſaid houſe, at the ſign of Queen Charlotte, or of* James Sutter, *in Front-ſtreet, below the Drawbridge; who may, if wanted, be ſupplied with beds, bedding, &c. fit for a tavern; if not wanted, will be ſold at public vendue, ſo ſoon as the houſe, &c. is lett.* ELIZABETH SUTTER.

N. B. It is requeſted of all thoſe that are indebted to the eſtate of Peter Sutter, deceaſed, to make ſpeedy payment; and thoſe who have any demands againſt the eſtate, to bring in their accounts, that they may be ſettled, by Peter Sutter, and James Sutter, Executors. †

All SORTS of Wool and Cotton CARDS.
JAMES LONGDEN,
CARD-MAKER, from LONDON,

MAKES, in the neateſt and beſt manner, and has now ready for ſale, at his ſhop, in Pewter-platter-alley, between Front and Second-ſtreets, ALL the different kinds of CARDS made in Great-Britain, or are now made uſe of in America, particularly ſcribling and ſmall cards, in the greateſt perfection, the latter of which were never before attempted to be made in any part of America, and which he will warrant to be preferable to any imported.

N. B. The above will be ſold as cheap, or cheaper, than can be imported. *Philadelphia, September* 5, 1772. ‡

EIGHT DOLLARS Reward.

RUN AWAY *from the ſubſcriber, in Lower-Merion townſhip, Philadelphia county, on the* 30*th of Auguſt laſt, an Iriſh ſervant man, named* JAMES DOWDEL, *about* 5 *feet* 7 *or* 8 *inches high, dark curled hair; he has a ſcar under his right eye, and ſeveral on the fore part of his head, under his hat, and is a very ill-looking fellow; ſays he is a butcher and tallow-chandler; he is very fond of ſtrong drink; had on, and took with him, a check ſhirt, a blue coatee, with yellow metal buttons, homeſpun trowſers, white cotton breeches, ribbed thread ſtockings, good ſhoes, with Pinchbeck buckles in them, and a half-worn hat. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by* SILAS JONES. ¶

LAST Saturday, *the* 29*th of Auguſt, was taken away from the ſubſcriber, living in Manor townſhip, Lancaſter county, a roan MARE, about two years old, a little blackiſh on the head, and a ſtar on the forehead, has very ſmall hoofs, about* 13 *hands high, paces and trots. The ſaid mare was taken away by a certain man, named* MICHAEL MAYER; *he is lame in his right ſide; had on, when he took her, a red ſtriped jacket, without ſleeves, a pair of ſtriped trowſers, new ſhoes, and fine white ſhirt. Whoever takes up ſaid mare, and brings her to the owner, or ſecures her, ſo that the owner may have her again, ſhall have* THIRTY SHILLINGS *reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by* JOHN CORRELL. †

JAMAICA and SPANISH DRY HYDES,
Juſt imported, and to be ſold, by
DAVID BEVERIDGE,
At his STORE, on the BIRD-IN-HAND Wharff.

THE ſubſcriber takes this method to inform the PUBLIC in general, not to truſt any perſon, except his family, on his credit, without his order in writing for that purpoſe.
† GEORGE REINHOLDT.

JOHN FIELD,
At his Store, in Water-ſtreet, next Door below the Corner of Cheſtnut-ſtreet, has juſt imported,

A GENERAL Aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India GOODS, ſuitable to the SEASON, which he will diſpoſe of on low Terms. ¶ 8 *W.*

Juſt imported in the laſt veſſels from London, Briſtol and Liverpool, and TO BE SOLD by
STEPHEN COLLINS,
At his ſtore in Second-ſtreet, nearly oppoſite the Church, on reaſonable terms, for caſh or ſhort credit,

A NEAT and large Aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India GOODS, ſuitable to the ſeaſon. 2. m.

WANTED directly after Harveſt,
A NUMBER of good DITCHERS.
Apply to SAMUEL REYNOLDS, and BENJAMIN WILSON, at Wilmington. §5s.tbc8w.

ALL perſons that are any way indebted to the eſtate of CONRAD SHITZ, of Lower-Merion townſhip, Papermaker, deceaſed, are deſired to pay off their accounts; and all ſuch as have any demands againſt the ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their accounts, properly proved, that they may be ſettled, by CATHERINE SHITZ, Adminiſtratrix, BENJAMIN SHITZ, and HENRY KAMMERER, Adminiſtrators.

N. B. An aſſortment of Sadlery, to be ſold, on reaſonable terms, by ſaid *Henry Kammerer*, living in Third-ſtreet, near Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia. 6 *W.*

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation, in Hanover townſhip, Lancaſter county, containing 211 acres of land, bounded by lands of Martin Smith, William Young, Samuel White, Hugh Gilleland, Frederick Noah, James Sloan, and Peter Walmer; there are on this place a ſmall log dwelling-houſe, a barn, about 80 acres of clear land, 12 of which are fine watered meadow, and 30 acres more be made and watered by a never failing ſtream; alſo a ſmall orchard. The woodland is extraordinary good. For terms of ſale, apply to JOSEPH SWIFT, or CALEB FOULKE, in Philadelphia. Tbc. 3 M.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation, in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, about 30 miles from Chriſtiana Bridge, a good landing-place, from whence there is a conſtant communication kept up with the Philadelphia market; this place formerly belonged to Colonel James Gilleſpy, and was late the property of Robert Fulton. It is bounded by lands of William Montgomery, Joſeph Brown, Widow Repley, James Ramſay, William Peterſon, and Thomas Whiteſide, is in a good neighbourhood, and a very fine healthy ſituation, where four roads meet, one leading from York county to Chriſtiana Bridge, one from Lancaſter to Charles-Town, and to two different Ferries on Saſquehanna to Baltimore-Town. It contains 365 acres of land, with the allowance, is good wheat-land, and produces plentiful crops of all kinds of ſummer grain, and is alſo very favourable for paſture; 90 acres of plowable land are already cleared, 16 of which are new, it is eaſily wrought, and free from ſtone; alſo 70 acres of fine meadow already made, and 20 acres more may be made, of good hazel bottom; it lies very convenient and agreeable, at each end of the houſe you may look over the whole of it; there are between 900 and 1000 water courſes cut through it, by which it is all watered except about half an acre; it is now under clover and timothy; the fences in good repair; the dwelling-houſe is part ſtone, and part ſquared logs, the ſtone part is two ſtories high, 2 rooms on a floor, 3 of which have fire-places; the other part is a large ſtove room, a good kitchen, and 2 good cellars, a draw well and oven at the kitchen door; likewiſe a large barn, 102 by 22 feet, a threſhing floor, 4 large bays for hay and grain, two ſtables, which hold 20 horſes, a cow-houſe, with Engliſh ſtalls, for 21 head of cattle; alſo a ſtore well ſhelved off; a ſtill-houſe, meat-houſe, corn-houſe, and a compleat hog-houſe, all in good repair; two large neat gardens, one well paled in. This place is extremely well calculated for farming, grazing, ſtore-keeping, and a tavern. For further information, enquire of JASPER YEATES, Eſq; in Lancaſter, of WILLIAM WEST, or JOSEPH SWIFT, in Philadelphia. Tbc. 3 M.

Cheſter, May 11, 1772.

THE ſubſcriber takes this method to inform the public, and his former cuſtomers, that he has bought, and now occupies, the houſe formerly belonging to Aubrey Bevan, in the Borough of Cheſter, oppoſite the Court-Houſe, known by the name of the Pennſylvania Arms; where all Gentlemen, travellers, and others, may depend upon having good accommodations, and kind uſage, from their obliged friend and humble ſervant, WILLIAM KERLIN. ¶6W.

LONDON, *July* 11.

ON Wednesday last the Portugueſe Miniſter had a private Conference with Lord Rochford, relative to ſome Diſpatches of Importance received within theſe few Days from his Court.

By the laſt Accounts from Holland we hear, that the Approach of a general War throughout Europe, is at preſent the chief Subject of Converſation in that Country.

Advices from Breſt ſay, that a Fire broke out in the Dock-yard there the Middle of laſt Month; it began in the Rope-yard, but being timely diſcovered, it was extinguiſhed without doing much Damage.

A Correſpondent aſſures us, that our Court by no Means intend to accede to any Meaſures by which the conſtitutional Independence of the City of Dantzick may be affected.

Neither the Spaniſh, French, Ruſſian, nor Imperial Ambaſſadors, attended the Levee on Thurſday at St. James's, a Circumſtance very ſeldom known before.

Poliſh Pruſſia, the Country which the King of Pruſſia claims, and of which he is now taking Poſſeſſion, is bounded on the North by the Baltic Sea, on the South by the Provinces of Cujavia and Maſovia, on the Eaſt by that of Samogitia, and on the Weſt by Pomerania. Theſe Territories were at firſt ſubject to certain ſovereign Dukes, until the Knights of the Teutonic Order got the Poſſeſſion of them in the 13th Century, after a tedious War. In 1454 the weſtern Part was ſubdued by the Polanders; and Albert, Marquis of Brandenburg (the 34th and laſt Maſter of that Order) having ſhaken off the Popiſh Yoke, obtained the eaſtern Part, under the Title of a Duchy, about the Year 1520; ſo that Pruſſia has been divided, ever ſince that Time, into Royal and Ducal. The above Albert embraced the Doctrine of Luther, perſwaded moſt of the Teutonic Knights to marry, and introduced the Reformed Religion into the Country, which is fruitful, but overſpread with Woods: It is watered by a great Number of Rivers, the chief of which are the Wieſſel, the Cronon or Niemen, the Nugat, the Elbing, the Weſer, and the Paſlar; there are alſo ſome Lakes ſeven Poliſh Miles in Compaſs, and many Bays and ſafe Harbours on the Sea Coaſts. The antient Inhabitants have been long ſince extirpated, and the preſent Inhabitants are a Kind of mixed People, from Sweden, Poland, Germany, and other neighbouring Countries.

Baron Van Swieten, who died lately at Vienna, was born at Leyden, and ſtudied Phyſic at that Univerſity, under the illuſtrious Profeſſor Boerhaave. He continued to practice his Art there for ſome Time, but his great Reputation having reached Vienna, he was invited to ſettle there by the Empreſs Queen, who appointed him Commander of the Order of St. Stephen, Counſellor, firſt Phyſician, and Librarian to their Imperial Majeſties. He was alſo choſen a Member of ſeveral literary Academies and Societies in Europe. The Empreſs Queen, who during his laſt Illneſs ſeveral Times viſited him, after his Death, ordered his Remains to be interred in one of the Chapels belonging to the Auguſtines, where are repoſited the Aſhes of Heroes, and other great Men, who, in their Life Times, had rendered themſelves particularly eminent for their great Actions.

The preſent Court of Eaſt-India Directors have acquired great Reputation by their late noble Support of public Credit, and we hear they are generouſly determined to make a minute Examination into private Grievances. On Wedneſday laſt they gave a moſt honourable Teſtimony in Favour of Capt. Donnellan's Character, who, among other Gentlemen, had felt the Hand of Oppreſſion abroad, and had no Redreſs to expect, but in ſubmitting his Conduct to the Reviſion of the Direction in this Country.

They write from the Hague, that a Loan of 1,000,000 Ducats had juſt been negotiated there, for the Uſe of the King of Pruſſia.

The ſame Letters add, that Matters being compromiſed with the Algerines, the additional Reinforcement of 4 Men of War, deſtined for the Mediterranean, had received Orders to ſail for the Eaſt-Indies.

Letters from Amſterdam mention, that a Loan of Five Millions of Livres has lately been advanced by the Merchants of that Place, for the Service of the Court of Verſailles.

July 13. *It is ſaid that Great-Britain has at length come into the meaſures of the Emperor, the Empreſs of Ruſſia, and the King of Pruſſia, regarding Poland; and that the chief advantage to be derived by us, from this acceſſion, is, reſpecting Hanover and Oſnaburgh, the ſafety of which being guaranteed on any future war, we may avoid all future continental belligerant connections.*

A gentleman, very eminent in political and commercial knowledge, is now very buſy, under the patronage of Lord North, in forming a plan (the outlines of which his Lordſhip has ſeen, and approves of) for the regulation of private banking, in which the reciprocal advantage of every party will be materially attended to, and that important branch of buſineſs thrown on a ſafe and permanent footing.

Some diſpatches of a very important nature are preparing at the Secretary's office for the Court of Copenhagen. It is ſaid they will be carried by a perſon of diſtinction, who is to demand an explicit anſwer within ten days after his arrival.

We are aſſured that Captain Cooke, Mr. Forſter, tranſlator of Bourgainville's Voyage, and Son, with a number of other learned Gentlemen, have actually ſet ſail, in order to make new diſcoveries in the South Seas. Captain Cooke was the Gentleman in whoſe ſhip Mr. Banks and Dr. Solander ſailed round the world.

We hear that the Directors of the Bank ſat on Thurſday till half paſt five o'clock, when they came to a reſolution to diſcount the bills of ſeveral Bankers of this city, &c.

Extract of a letter from Cracow, June 21.

"*Every preparation was made to receive the garriſon of Tyniec, who ſurrendered, and paſſports were prepared by the Ruſſians for the garriſon; but they refuſed at laſt, and would only ſurrender to the Auſtrians. General Bibikow ordered they ſhould be attacked with the greateſt vigour, and it is feared they will have no quarter given them. The Auſtrians and Ruſſians act now in conjunction.*"

Extract of a letter from Paris, July 3.

"*Some letters from Madrid pretend, that the King of Spain is ſo much diſpleaſed with the Republic of Genoa, for favouring the expelled Jeſuits, that he has forbid his ſubjects to hold any communication with the inhabitants of that Republic.*"

Two letters are handed about, which came by the laſt packet, and dated at Paris, from Mr. Fordyce to two of his friends in London, one of whom was totally ruined by his failure; the purport of the letter addreſſed to this gentleman, is little more than adviſing him to keep company with men of honour *and* virtue.

The ſecond was likewiſe directed to a very great ſufferer by him, wherein Mr. Fordyce acquaints him, ſeemingly with unconcern, that he has broken into his laſt guinea; ſuppoſes many aſperſions, and ſevere reflections, are thrown on his character; notwithſtanding which, he hopes to drink many a bottle with him, and to convince all the world, that he has ever acted with the ſtricteſt integrity and honour to all mankind.

Expreſſes have been ſent over to a certain bankrupt, informing him, that application will be made for him to the French Court, if he does not appear to his ſtatute; in conſequence of which, we hear, he intends retiring to Holland, and getting himſelf naturalized in one of the Provinces.

It is ſaid that when the Earl of Chatham was laſt at Court (being conſulted on the occaſion) he recommended to his Majeſty a mode of adminiſtration that will entirely conciliate the preſent diſſentions ſubſiſting between all parties, and that the ſame is now under the conſideration of a Great Perſonage.

It is no leſs true than extraordinary, that during the time Mr. Pitt, now Earl of Chatham, was pay-maſter of the forces, he never once attempted to employ the public money then in his hands to his own private emolument.

Mr. F----- the banker, who has been reported ſeveral times to be in France, was yeſterday ſeen with ſome friends at the George Inn at Iſlington, from whence he ſet off about eight in the evening in a poſt chaiſe and four for town.

They write from Bruſſels, that ſeveral independent companies are ordered to be raiſed in that country, for the ſervice of the Empreſs of Ruſſia.

July 14. *The Diſputes ſome Time ſubſiſting between the Earl of Hillſborough and the Miniſtry, relative to ſome Grants of Land intended for a Settlement in North America, are compromiſed, to the Satisfaction of both Parties.*

By a Survey already made of our Docks, Yards, and Shipping, by the Earl of Sandwich, it appears that there are upwards of 60 Men of War of the Line fit for immediate Service.

Yeſterday Morning early a Meſſenger was diſpatched to the Lord Chancellor at Fairy-hill; on his Return he was diſpatched again on ſome extraordinary Buſineſs.

July 15. Yeſterday the Earl of Hillſborough, Secretary of State for the Plantations, had a great Levee at his houſe in Hanover Square, at which ſeveral of the North American Merchants and Colony Agents were preſent.

Extract of a letter from Auxerre, in Burgundy, June 4.

"We have been in the utmoſt conſternation here, occaſioned by an earthquake, attended by a violent ſtorm of thunder and lightning. I was at ſupper laſt night, about nine o'clock, at the Hotel de Petit Paris, when I felt the firſt ſhock, which laſted near two ſeconds, and threw every thing off the table; this ſhock was inſtantly followed by another equally ſevere; immediately I got down into the ſtreet, where a great number of people was gathered, and moſt of them upon their knees; I was hardly in the ſtreet before another ſhock was perceived, and the ſpires of the two Dominican Churches came tumbling down, but no perſon was hurt; then began the ſtorm, and ſuch ſheets of fire poured down, that, for our preſervation, we were forced into the Churches, and the Biſhop's palace was full. About five minutes after it began, one of the Convents took fire, every one was fearful of venturing to help the poor Nuns, who ran out almoſt naked; ſtupified with fear, they kneeled down in the ſtreet, and remained immovable. About an hour after the ſtorm began to abate, and by five in the morning every element was intirely compoſed, and a more beautiful morning I never ſaw. The damage done was not near ſo conſiderable as was expected, as the two Churches and the Convent were the only ſufferers. The amazement was general, but now is pretty well over, and we have nothing elſe but Maſſes and Prayers to deprecate the vengeance of an offended Deity."

Saturday morning Mr. Banks and Dr. Solander ſet ſail for Iceland, to proſecute new diſcoveries in Botany.

July 16. Yeſterday there was but a thin Levee at St. James's, and no Council; Lord North had a conference with his Majeſty before he ſet out for Kew.

It is ſaid that letters of recal are ordered to be ſent to Henry Lyttleton, Eſq; his Majeſty's Ambaſſador at the Court of Liſbon, at his own deſire.

It is reported that the Court of Great-Britain has declared an unalterable reſolution to maintain the independency of Dantzic, Elbing, Marlenburgh, and the other trading towns upon the Viſtula.

Lord H---------h's objection to colonization, if founded on the obſervation, that a conſiderable part of the native country lies waſte and uncultivated, is juſt; it certainly ſhould firſt be improved.

It is ſaid that the marriage of Prince Frederick of Denmark with the Princeſs Royal of Sweden is concluded upon, but that the time for conſummating the ſame depends on the pleaſure of the King of Pruſſia.

The laſt letters from Copenhagen mention, that his Daniſh Majeſty had iſſued out an ordinance to limit the time of all mourning, public and private, to the ſpace of one month, and has likewiſe ſignified his pleaſure, that it ſhall be no ſlight, as it is to be ſhort.

Letters from Turin by the laſt poſt mention, that his Sardinian Majeſty had juſt put the finiſhing hand to a new treaty of commerce with his Sicilian Majeſty, by which the ſhips of the former were intitled to ſome new privileges in the ports of the two Sicilies.

Extract of a letter from Plymouth, July 12.

"According to your requeſt I have endeavoured to ſend you as compleat a liſt of the ſhips in this port as poſſible: The artificers have been very buſy lately, and work an additional tide; the Duke, a ſecond rate, and the Conqueror and Nonſuch, a third and fourth Rate, are going on with great expedition; and orders have been ſent down lately to the Maſter Builder, to lay down a firſt rate in the room of the Conqueror, which will be launched about September. The ſhips at preſent under repair are the Foudroyant and Plymouth Tranſport; the Adventure and Reſolution will ſoon ſail for the South Seas upon diſcoveries."

Orders are ſent to Deptford, for fitting up the Carcaſe and Thunder Bombs for ſervice with all Expedition.

All the men of war now outward bound, at Portſmouth and Plymouth, are ordered to take on board their full complement of marines.

The laſt packet from North-America has brought a letter of thanks from the city of Boſton to Colonel Barre, Agent for Maſſachuſetts-Bay, for his ſpirited behaviour in Parliament during the laſt Seſſion.

Extract of a letter from Edinburgh, July 9.

"I never remember ſuch a ſeaſon as we have at preſent; the fields look moſt beautiful, a great appearance of a fine crop of all ſorts of grain, a fine hay ſeaſon, and a prodigious crop, a vaſt appearance of fruit, ſtrawberries, the beſt I ever ſaw, at two-pence and three-pence the quart. If our money be ſcarce, we ſhall have plenty in the country for man and beaſt."

Lately died, at Warrington, Mr. Abraham Titley, a Quaker, and owner of a capital iron manufactory upon the River Merſey.

It is aſſerted that Negotiations of a very private Nature are now on the Carpet between his Pruſſian Majeſty and the Britiſh Court, in which no other Powers are concerned.

Prince Maſſerano, the Spaniſh Ambaſſador, who will ſet out on his Return home in a few Days, is on his Arrival at Madrid to be created Prime Miniſter of State. His Brother is appointed his Succeſſor here.

A Loan is negotiating here for his Daniſh Majeſty of a conſiderable Sum, for which the Agents have offered conſiderable Advantages to the Adventurers.

Laſt Wedeſday died at Clackmannan Caſtle, in Scotland, Harry Bruce, of Clackmannan, Eſq; aged 72, deſcended of John de Bruce, third Son of Robert, Lord Annandale, who was Competitor for the Crown of Scotland with John Baliol. He was Heir of Sir Robert Bruce, of Clackmannan, who, in 1359, obtained a Charter of the Caſtle and Lands of Clackmannan from King David Bruce, in which he is deſigned the King's beloved and faithful Couſine. By his leaving no Iſſue, the ancient and honourable Family of Bruce, of Clackmannan, becomes extinct.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, July 10.

"We have Letters from good Hands here which aſſure, that the reſpective Miniſters Plenipotentiary have opened the Congreſs at Buchareſt with great Appearance of Succeſs: That the Court of Ruſſia has propoſed three Articles as the preliminary Conditions of Peace, which do not ſeem to meet with the hearty Concurrence of the other Powers, though it is to be hoped they will be brought into better Temper by Degrees. The Subſtance of theſe three Articles are ſaid to be, 1ſt, That the Court of Peterſbourg ſhall keep Poſſeſſion of the Conqueſts obtained over the Turks during the preſent War. 2dly, That 10,000,000 Rubles ſhall be paid to that Court, to defray the Expences incurred by the War. And 3dly, That the Porte ſhall enter into a moſt ſolemn Engagement not to interfere any more in the Affairs of Poland. There are People who go ſo far as to aſſure us, that the Miniſters of the reſpective Powers have already acceded to the above-mentioned Articles; but we cannot help conſidering this as a little premature."

It is aſſerted, the Amount of Mr. Fordyce's Debts, under his own private Commiſſion, and the Debts under the Partnerſhip, amount together to 550,000l.

Yeſterday a Board of Trade was held at the Plantation Office, Whitehall, in conſequence of recent diſpatches from America.

Yeſterday diſpatches were ſent from the Admiralty to the Commiſſioners of the ſeveral Dock-Yards.

A Board of Treaſury is ſummoned to meet on ſome important affairs this day.

Yeſterday an expreſs was ſent to Lord North in the country, to attend the above Board. And alſo the Council to be held this day at St. James's.

An anonymous correſpondent ſays, we may aſſure the public, from good authority, that notwithſtanding the pacific diſpoſition of our Miniſtry, and the happy tranquil ſtate their minions labour to perſuade us we are ſecure in, there were ſcarce ever known, even in the midſt of war, greater demands for all kinds of ſtores for the uſe of the navy than at preſent, inſomuch that the contractors in almoſt eveay branch, particularly hops, are far from being able to ſupply them on this emergency.

The ſame correſpondent alſo ſays, we may be aſſured that Meſſrs. Vere and Fletcher in Cornhill, have received orders for 20,000 ſuits of ſeamens cloaths, and 50,000 Dutch caps, to be got ready with all expedition, and that in all likelihood preſs-warrants will be iſſued out before this month's at an end.

Letters from Berlin mention, that the King ordered a Detachment of 8000 Men, with 10 Pieces of Cannon, to march immediately into Poland, which Order was put in Execution on the 20th of laſt Month.

We are informed, overtures are now on foot between our Miniſtry and the Court of Denmark, relative to pecuniary appointments of the unfortunate Queen. This matter, we learn, is intended to be ſettled upon ſo eligible a plan, that it will preclude the poſſibility of its giving riſe to any future differences between the two powers.

So critical are the affairs of the Miniſtry, that they are doing and undoing almoſt every hour. An expreſs was a few days ago ſent for a noble Lord to town, and about ſix hours after was countermanded. What can theſe things portend? The downfal of the Miniſtry, or new chains forging for the people? The latter pray that the makers may be the wearers.

A correſpondent, on reading in our paper, that the great defaulter had not yet made out his accounts, ſays, the public may ſuſpend their expectations, for his accounts will not be made out till after his death, when all the ſecrets will be revealed by his will.

Lord ---------- has certainly only been a cat's paw, and not the defaulter of unaccounted millions, as is imagined. He will undoubtedly never unboſom this affair, to the prejudice of thoſe who have moſt reaſon to be afraid, having pledged his life for their ſecurity; but when that life is at an end, then tremble defaulters!

Two great perſonages have actually the preſent extravagance of dreſs, in both ſexes, under conſideration to reform them, if ſetting the example themſelves, and enjoining all their dependents to imitate them, would do it. Indeed the many ill conſequences that the modern mode of dreſs has been the ſource of, has long called for a reformation.

If a native either of England, Ireland, or Scotland, commits any miſdemeanor in Spain, ſo as to be liable to puniſhment, enquiry is always made, by the proper officers, whether he is a mechanic, and ingenious in his profeſſion. If he is, he is immediately ſet at liberty, on condition of his agreeing to go and exerciſe his art in ſuch place and manner as is thought proper by the emiſſaries of government employed for that purpoſe. This is proof enough how willing they are to give encouragement to our artificers; though our government, by their indifferent behaviour, ſeem to think them of no more importance to the kingdom than ſo many jackaſſes.

An accommodation is almoſt compleated between Alderman Wilkes and his lady, through the pious interpoſition of his amiable daughter: A circumſtance, which, when finiſhed, will elevate him above the feeble attempts of the Miniſterial malignants, as he then will be maſter of an immenſe fortune.

It is ſaid that Mr. Sheriff Wilkes ſtands a very fair chance of being Lord Mayor for the year enſuing, partly owing, as it is ſaid, to the other candidate's having obliged the majority of the Court of Aldermen, and partly, as it is inſiſted from the preſumed aſſiſtance he will receive from the miniſtry, who are of opinion, when once his ambition is accompliſhed, they ſhall have nothing to fear from ſo formidable and inſidious an adverſary.

It is likewiſe certain, that Mr. Wilkes's aſſiduity as a magiſtrate, together with the univerſal odium of his enemies, has very conſiderably contributed to the probability of ſuch an event.

July 17. *The Duke of Cumberland, in giving directions to have all his ſervants wages paid up to the laſt quarter-day, jocularly obſerved at the ſame time to his Treaſurer,* "*You ſee, Le Grand, I've been ſo long from* Court, *that I've forgot every part of* its practice."

The Lords of the Treaſury are, we hear, determined in future, that every banker, who keeps caſh on account of the Crown, ſhall give a large ſecurity; as the late loſs by Mr. Fordyce ſhews, that houſes, the moſt ſeemingly ſolvent, may totter on the verge of deſtruction.

Wedneſday the Bank of England, purſuant to act of Parliament, began paying off to the ſeveral ſubſcribers a moiety, or half part of the million and half, 3 per cent. annuities, ſome time ſince ſubſcribed; together with the whole intereſt due.

Extract of a letter from Algiers, May 25.

"*The Dey hath cauſed public notice to be given, that the money coined by Ali Bey, Caimacan of Egypt, ſhall no longer be current in the kingdom of Algiers; and he hath forbidden the French merchants, ſettled in this port, to import any of that ſpecie from Marſeilles. He hath augmented the duties of exportation on wax, wool, leather, &c.*

They write from Stockholm, that ſome late extraordinary proceedings on the continent, have induced his Majeſty, with advice of the Senate, to order a conſiderable augmentation in the navy and land forces of Sweden.

Letters from Madrid ſay, "*We hear from all the provinces, that there never was in remembrance ſo fine a proſpect of a plentiful vintage as now; the grapes being in many parts entirely fit for plucking at this time, and in ſuch quantities, that they dry three-fourths more than is ſufficient to make the uſual quantity of wine.*

They write from Toulon, that the Adelaide, a man of war of 60 guns, foundered in a ſtorm on the 24th of laſt month, within ſight of the harbour. Several galleys put off to her aſſiſtance, and ſaved the men, but the ſhip was loſt.

Some letters from the Hague mention, that the city of Dantzick has choſen the King of Pruſſia for its Patron and Protector; in conſequence of which, the citizens have refuſed to pay the Capitation Tax to the King of Poland as before.

We have the pleaſure of hearing that there is an intention of ſuppreſſing all the Royal Plates given for the encouragement of running horſes; as this particular breed of animals is not only utterly without uſe, but often the ſource of deſtruction to many of our firſt families.

AYR (in SCOTLAND) *July* 1, 1772.

The noblemen and gentlemen of the ſhire of Ayr, having met this day at Ayr to conſider of the public credit of this county, and being ſenſible of the ſolidity of the Banking Company of Douglas, Heron and Co. do unanimouſly reſolve, to the utmoſt of our power, to ſupport their credit, and for that purpoſe, to take their notes from our tenants, and in every other tranſaction: And we further reſolve, to claim no advantage from an advertiſement of that company, dated June 25th, offering "to pay five per cent. intereſt for ſuch of their notes as remain in the circle till paid, after the 26th of June ult." And we order our Clerk to cauſe to be publiſhed our reſolution in the Edinburgh and Glaſgow news-papers.

Extracted from the books of the Commiſſioners of Supply for the county of Ayr, by

JA. FERGUSON, Clerk.

N. B. The merchants and manufacturers in Kilmarnock, have ſigned an obligation to the above effect.

Since our laſt, we have received the following liſt of gentlemen, who have all entered into the reſolution to accept in payment the Notes of Douglas, Heron and Company; viz. Sir Alexander Don of Newtown, Bart. Sir John Patterſon of Eccles, Bart. Sir Robert Pringle of Stitchill, Bart. Sir James Douglas of Springwood Park; Sir George Hay M'Dougall, of Makerſtow, Bart. James Pringle, Eſq; younger of Stitchill; William Ker, Eſq; for his Grace the Duke of Roxburgh; Walter Scott, Eſq; of Harden; John Waldie, Eſq; of Henderſide; George Rutherford, Eſq; of Fairington; William Ker, Eſq; of Chatto; Thomas Turnbull, Eſq; of Know; Robert Howieſon, Eſq; of Orchard; Archibald Swinton, Eſq; of Manderſton; Thomas Rait, Eſq; of Longformacus; Dr. Charles Jackſon of Nichola Townſhip.